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Title of Invention: Computerized Auction System for use with Multiple Purchasing Media

Inventors (please provide full names): Joseph C Jennings, John M Jack, Stephanie A Binzen

Earliest Priority Filing Date: 9/21/99

For Sequence Searches Only Please include all pertinent information (parent, child, divisional, or issued patent numbers) along with the appropriate serial number.

Independent claims are: 1, 7, 10, 13, & 16. The invention is an auction system designed to allow only people with incentive award certificates or electronic credits to bid. These awards can be something like frequent flyer mileage or any other such incentive awards, and these awards are equated by the auction system in some formula of relative value, and people can also bid in their own currency and have it displayed in a common currency, which is equated to the various incentive awards by formula.

Key words are: auction + incentive awards, currency, translation or conversion of equivalence between different awards (they call them media types), different programs for bidding in different media types (ie, constrained to bid in only specified types).

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*   By           : Ginger D. Roberts
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*   Date          : December 28, 2001
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Please find attached the results of your search for 09/637728. The search was conducted using the standard collection of databases on Dialog for EIC 2100.

The following other electronic products were searched: Internet

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you.

Ginger Roberts
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2/7/4 (Item 2 from file: 16)
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Greg Manning Auctions Announces Results of Entertainment Memorabilia Auction.

Business Wire, p1117

May 7, 1999

TEXT:

WEST CALDWELL, N.J.--May 7, 1999--

Internet and Telephone Auction Grosses over \$450,000

Greg Manning Auctions, Inc. (NASDAQ: GMAI) announced today that it grossed over \$450,000 in a joint Internet and telephone auction of vintage movie posters and Hollywood & Rock 'n Roll memorabilia.

Concluded on April 20, 1999, the auction was comprised of over 1,100 lots of high quality Hollywood & Rock 'n Roll collectible merchandise such as a run of Elvis Presley posters encompassing all of the movies in which he appeared (including Jailhouse Rock, Love Me Tender, and Viva Las Vegas), guitars signed by artists such as Led Zeppelin's Jimmy Page, Jefferson Airplane, and Bruce Springsteen, and movie props such as the "Golden Idol" from Indiana Jones and the Raiders of the Lost Ark.

Greg Manning, GMAI's President & CEO, commented: "This was the first ever simultaneous Internet and telephone auction for quality movie posters and Hollywood & Rock 'n Roll memorabilia and the success that we achieved in this initial effort with this format confirms our belief that the collector community wants to be able to buy and sell collectibles utilizing **multiple bidding media**. GMAI's auctions are over the Internet, by touch-tone telephone, by mail, and in person. By utilizing all or various combinations of these bidding methods and technologies, we are able to increase the pool of our buyers, and offer our customers choice."

About GMAI

Greg Manning Auctions, Inc. is a full service auctioneer of a wide range of collectibles and diamonds, as well as the nation's leading stamp auction house and one of the largest in the world. GMAI is the first publicly owned auction company to hold real-time auctions simultaneously over the Internet and via telephone, while providing confidential transmission of bidder and seller information.

Greg Manning Auctions, Inc. has over 30 years of experience and a staff of experts in each of the product categories in which it operates; which distinguishes GMAI from common person to person auctions. Additionally, GMAI has long established and well-entrenched relationships with suppliers of quality collectibles throughout the world, and operates on a global basis. In early 1999, GMAI formed GMAI-Asia.com, which is establishing an office in Beijing, China and is anticipating conducting real-time Internet and telephone auctions in China.

GMAI's web sites are: www.gregmanning.com and www.teletrade.com. Its common stock is traded on the NASDAQ SmallCap system under the symbol GMAI, and on the Boston Stock Exchange under the symbol GGM.

This press release contains statements of a forward-looking nature relating to future events. Shareholders are cautioned that such statements are predictions and that actual events or results may differ significantly.

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Greg Manning Auctions And Big Entertainment Complete Joint Internet Entertainment Memorabilia Auction

PR NEWSWIRE

May 05, 1999

WEST CALDWELL, N.J. and BOCA RATON, Fla., May 5 /PRNewswire/ -- Greg Manning Auctions, Inc. (Nasdaq: GMAI) and Big Entertainment, Inc. (Nasdaq: BIGE) announced today that in April they successfully conducted a joint Internet and telephone auction of vintage movie posters and Hollywood & Rock 'n Roll memorabilia.

The event marked the first joint auction between Greg Manning Auctions and Big. The Companies believe this was the first-ever simultaneous Internet and telephone auction for quality movie posters and Hollywood & Rock 'n Roll memorabilia.

The auction comprised over 1,100 lots of collectible merchandise, including props from Hollywood movies such as the "Golden Idol" from 'Indiana Jones and the Raiders of the Lost Ark;' clothing worn by film greats Charlie Chaplin and Lou Costello; a western shirt worn on stage at Albert Hall in London by Eric Clapton during his final performance with Cream; guitars signed by artists such as Led Zeppelin's Jimmy Page, Jefferson Airplane, and Bruce Springsteen; original hand-written lyrics by Jimi Hendrix and Steely Dan; Jimi Hendrix's personally worn Woodstock Peace Ring; and hundreds of rare movie posters and lobby cards. Movie poster offerings included Walt Disney's(TM) 'Silly Symphony' (the animated short in which Donald Duck(TM) made his first appearance), an extremely rare full-color theatre lobby card for the movie 'Casablanca,' a complete run of Elvis Presley movie posters encompassing all of the movies in which he appeared (including 'Jailhouse Rock,' 'Love Me Tender,' and 'Viva Las Vegas'), and an original release insert for the film classic 'Gone with the Wind.'

Greg Manning, GMAI's CEO, commented: "The success that we achieved in this initial effort with this format confirms our belief that the collector community wants to be able to buy and sell collectibles utilizing **multiple bidding media**. GMAI's auctions are over the Internet, by touch-tone telephone, by mail, and in person. By utilizing all or various combinations of these bidding methods and technologies, we are able to increase the pool of our buyers, and offer our customers choice."

Laurie Silvers, President of Big, commented: "The combination of BigE's online auction capabilities with GMAI's auction marketing skills, and the depth of the entertainment collectibles, provided the bige.com visitor a rare opportunity."

About Greg Manning Auctions, Inc.

GMAI is a leading full-service auctioneer of collectibles, with an international reputation in the collectibles markets. It is the nation's leading stamp auction house, and one of the largest houses in the world in addition to being recognized as a leading auctioneer of coins, sports trading cards, sports memorabilia, comic books, diamonds and now, collectible movie posters and Hollywood and Rock 'n Roll memorabilia. GMAI currently conducts Internet and touch-tone telephone auctions through its Teletrade subsidiary at www.teletrade.com, and telephone and live auctions at Greg Manning Auctions, Incorporated (www.gregmanning.com).

About Big Entertainment

Big Entertainment was founded by Mr. Rubenstein and Laurie S. Silvers, who earlier founded the Sci-Fi Channel(TM). Big Entertainment owns bige.com, an online studio store offering thousands of entertainment products from Hollywood studios, TV networks, and popular culture. bige.com is available on the web at www.bige.com as well as on many popular websites, including usatoday.com, broadcast.com, Excite, hollywood.com, IMDb, and Film.com. Big Entertainment also owns entertainment properties created for it by best-selling authors and media celebrities, including Leonard Nimoy and Mickey Spillane.

BigE previously announced that it had entered into a definitive agreement to acquire Hollywood Online Inc., and its website, hollywood.com, from Times Mirror, which acquisition is expected to close during the second quarter of 1999. CBS Corporation and BigE recently announced that they have signed an agreement in principle for CBS to receive a 35% ownership interest in hollywood.com, a premier web site for movies and the motion picture industry, in exchange for \$100 million of promotion and content support over a period of seven years. Big Entertainment will own 65% of the joint venture. In a separate transaction previously announced, BigE has entered into a definitive agreement to acquire CinemaSource, the nation's largest provider of movie showtimes listings to the Internet industry, which transaction is expected to close in the second quarter of 1999. Internet portals and websites that obtain their movie showtimes listings from CinemaSource include Yahoo!, MSN, Excite, Go Network, CitySearch, and Zip2, among others.

The matters discussed herein that are forward-looking statements are based on current management expectations that involve risks and uncertainties that may result in such expectations not being realized. Potential risks and uncertainties include, but are not limited to, the risks described in Big Entertainment's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission.

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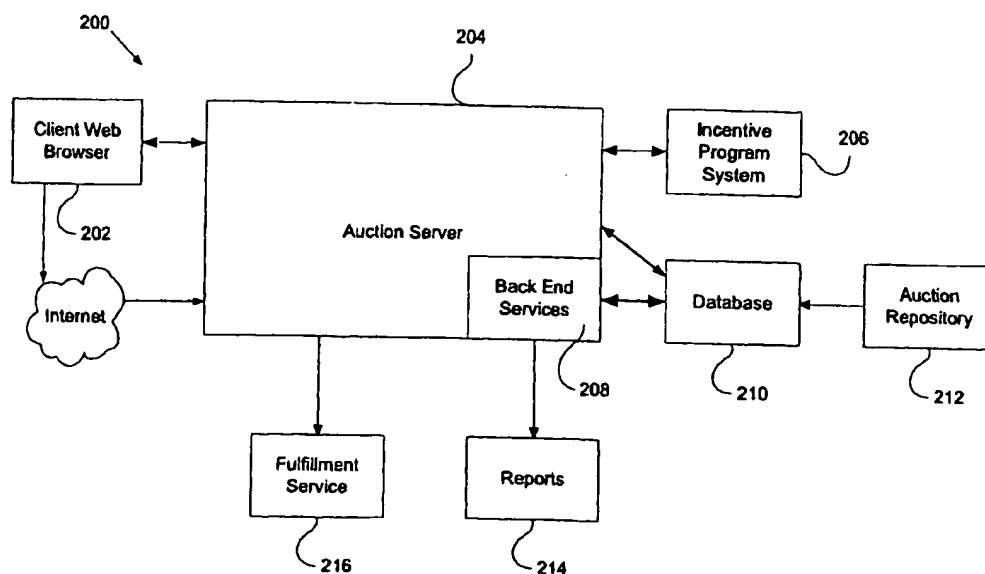
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- (26) Publication Language: English
- (30) Priority Data:
60/155,282 21 September 1999 (21.09.1999) US
09/637,728 11 August 2000 (11.08.2000) US
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For two-letter codes and other abbreviations, refer to the "Guidance Notes on Codes and Abbreviations" appearing at the beginning of each regular issue of the PCT Gazette.

(54) Title: COMPUTERIZED AUCTION SYSTEM USING MULTIPLE PURCHASE MEDIA



(57) Abstract: Systems and methods create and maintain an auction server operative to receive requests for displaying auction items. The bid values are displayed and received in units that are specific to a particular program in which the user is participating. Bid values can be displayed and received in differing units depending on the particular program. Thus, participants in different programs can bid on the same items using different media types or different currencies. The system automatically converts between the different media types in order to determine highest bidders and bid amounts.

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 2001-451272/200148|

DX- <RELATED> 2001-441185; 2001-451269|

XR- <XRPX> N01-334168|

TI- Computerized **auction** system using multiple purchase media with different program units to receive and display **bids** according to a particular program allowing use of different media types and **currencies** |

PA- SCHOENECKERS INC (SCHO-N)|

AU- <INVENTORS> BINZEN S; JACK J M|

NC- 019|

NP- 001|

PN- WO 200122321 A2 20010329 WO 2000US25777 A 20000921 200148 B|

AN- <LOCAL> WO 2000US25777 A 20000921|

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DS- <REGIONAL> AT; BE; CH; CY; DE; DK; ES; FI; FR; GB; GR; IE; IT; LU; MC; NL; PT; SE|

AB- <PN> WO 200122321 A2|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - An **auction** server (204) provides web pages to and receives input from a client web browser (202) and can maintain an **auction** database (210) of items available for **bidding** . The start **auction** process continually monitors an **auction** table of the database and denomination maintenance functions are performed by back-end services (208) also providing product category functions.|

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An **incentive** reward system (206) implements rules of **incentive** rewards and a participant supplies personal details and then goes to the **auction** page showing **bid** items, time remaining and the current **bid** , while the **auction** server calculates **conversions** between different media types and **currencies**

INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are included for methods for displaying **auction** **bid** data and for updating **auction** **bid** data and for a computer readable medium with instructions.

USE - Computerized **auction** **bidding** using different purchase media.

ADVANTAGE - Providing **auction** services using multiple media types.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing is a diagram illustrating the system

Auction server (204)

Web browser (202)

Auction database (210)

Back-end services (208)

Reward system (206)

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DE- <TITLE TERMS> **AUCTION** ; SYSTEM; MULTIPLE; PURCHASE; MEDIUM; PROGRAM; UNIT; RECEIVE; DISPLAY; **BID** ; ACCORD; PROGRAM; ALLOW; MEDIUM; TYPE|

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MC- <EPI> T01-H07C3C; T01-H07C5E; T01-J05A1; T01-J05A2; T01-J05B4P; T01-J12B|

FS- EPI||

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TI- Electronic online **auctioning** method in electronic commerce, involves transmitting **bid** information of one **bidder** to another in latter's local **currency** , to enable viewing of relative comparison of submitted **bids** |

PA- FREEMARKETS INC (FREE-N) |

AU- <INVENTORS> BECKER D J; BERNARD A F; HECKMANN D C; KINNEY S E; MEAKEM G T; RAGO V F; RUPP W D; STEVENS R G|

NC- 089|

NP- 002|

PN- WO 200058862 A2 20001005 WO 2000US8343 A 20000330 200110 B|

PN- AU 200040446 A 20001016 AU 200040446 A 20000330 200110|

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AB- <PN> WO 200058862 A2|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - A **bid** in local **currency** is received from a potential **bidder** . The **bid** is transformed into base **currency** used by the originator of **auction** , using a predefined **exchange** rate, to effect relative comparison of submitted **bids** based on base **currency** . Information about the **bid** is transmitted to another **bidder** in his local **currency** to enable viewing of relative comparison of submitted **bids** . |

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The **bid** of one **bidder** transformed into base **currency** is again **converted** to **bid** of other **bidder** in his local **currency** and transmitted to the latter. INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(a) electronic online **auction** participating method;

(b) electronic online **auctioning** system;

(c) **bidding** information processing program

USE - For conducting electronic online **auctioning** for e.g. industrial **auctions** in electronic commerce.

ADVANTAGE - **Bids** submitted in various local **currencies** can be effectively compared by an **auction** system. Enables each participant in the **auction** to maintain a separate view of the **auction** status based on their own particular context. Allows each **bidder** to participate in an **auction** that appears to be conducted in his own local **currency** .

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the **bid** history charts based on buyer and supplier view **points** .

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DE- <TITLE TERMS> ELECTRONIC; METHOD; ELECTRONIC; TRANSMIT; BID ;
INFORMATION; ONE; LATTER; LOCAL; CURRENCY ; ENABLE; VIEW; RELATIVE;
COMPARE; SUBMIT; BID |
DC- T01|
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MC- <EPI> T01-H07C5E; T01-J05A; T01-S03|
FS- EPI||

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*
AA- 2000-679082/200066|
XR- <XRPX> N00-502740|
TI- Competitive bidding rewarding method on-line auction , involves
qualifying bidder to receive reward , when his bid is greater than
that of remaining bids |
PA- WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)|
AU- <INVENTORS> TEDESCO D E; VAN LUCHENE A S; WALKER J S|
NC- 087|
NP- 002|
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AB- <PN> WO 200041108 A1|
AB- <NV> NOVELTY - The product for bidding is identified and the bid
for product is received from a bidder , during auction session. When
the bid from bidder is greater than that of remaining bids , it is
determined whether the bidder is qualified to receive a reward ,
based on the reward rule. If the bidder is qualified, an indication
is transmitted to the bidder . |
AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - The reward includes value of currency
, supplement to bit, rebate on the product, amount of frequent flier
miles, secondary product, service and warranty for the product, etc.
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:
 (a) method of providing penalty to bidder ;
 (b) method of participation in auction session;
 (c) apparatus for rewarding bidder ;
 (d) apparatus for providing penalty to bidder ;
 (e) program product
USE - For rewarding bidder in on line auction environment
during sale of luxury items, antiques or high ticket items via LAN,
WAN, internet, intranet, public telephone exchange system, etc.
ADVANTAGE - Encourages competitive bidding and discourages
unreasonable bit submission by providing reward or penalty to bidder

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the flowchart illustrating the steps performed by auction server.

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DE- <TITLE TERMS> COMPETE; BID ; METHOD; LINE; AUCTION ; QUALIFY; RECEIVE
; REWARD ; BID ; GREATER; REMAINING; BID |

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MC- <EPI> T01-H07C5E; T01-J05A; T01-S03|

FS- EPI||

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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XR- <XRPX> N00-502664|

TI- Computer based foreign exchange transaction system, comprises web based foreign exchange platform that calculates mid- point price for trading by reference to interbank bid /offer spread using a program|

PA- IPCO LTD (IPCO-N); BOOTH J (BOOT-I); ING D (INGD-I); LANGLEY P (LANG-I)
; VAN ROON M (VROO-I)|

AU- <INVENTORS> ING D; VAN ROON M|

NC- 025|

NP- 004|

PN- WO 200039719 A1 20000706 WO 99IB2088 A 19991229 200066 B|

PN- AU 200030683 A 20000731 AU 200030683 A 19991229 200066

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AB- <PN> WO 200039719 A1|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - A computer based system enabling a buyer and a seller to be efficiently matched, comprises a web based foreign exchange platform in which buyers and sellers post their requirements. A computer program in the network identifies, matches and effects a trade at a price which is the mid- point of the interbank bid /offer spread.|

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(a) method of obtaining foreign exchange for a party;

(b) method of computing the amount of foreign exchange available to a party

USE - For buying and selling foreign currency overseas and obtaining foreign currencies while traveling abroad or for making foreign investments.

ADVANTAGE - Since the computer based system uses for trading a mid- point price substantially independent of the parties, buyers and

sellers are matched automatically in a manner that is fast, efficient, transparent and fair. As the system facilitates the direct matching of parties and counterparties, the settlement risk is reduced. Using the on-line system, transactions can be executed in a multitude of dimensions such as two-way, three-way, four-way, etc.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the explanatory diagram of bid /offer pricing for USD priced in CAD.

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DE- <TITLE TERMS> COMPUTER; BASED; FOREIGN; EXCHANGE ; TRANSACTION; SYSTEM
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POINT ; PRICE; TRADE; REFERENCE; BID ; OFFER; SPREAD; PROGRAM|
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FS- EPI||

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XR- <XRPX> N00-452885|

TI- Foreign exchange processing system for financial transactions via Internet using programmed server|

PA- BUYFX.COM LTD (BUYF-N); LANGLEY P J (LANG-I); BOOTH J (BOOT-I); ING D (INGD-I); LANGLEY P (LANG-I); VAN ROON M (VROO-I)|

AU- <INVENTORS> ING D; VAN ROON M|

NC- 024|

NP- 003|

PN- WO 200055775 A2 20000921 WO 2000GB909 A 20000313 200058 B|

PN- CA 2264351 A1 20000912 CA 2264351 A 19990312 200061

PN- AU 200031776 A 20001004 AU 200031776 A 20000313 200101|

AN- <LOCAL> WO 2000GB909 A 20000313; CA 2264351 A 19990312; AU 200031776 A 20000313|

AN- <PR> CA 2264351 A 19990312|

FD- WO 200055775 A2 G06F-017/60

<DS> (National): AU CA CN GB JP MX US

<DS> (Regional): AT BE CH CY DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LU MC NL PT SE

FD- AU 200031776 A G06F-017/60 Based on patent WO 200055775|

LA- WO 200055775(E<PG> 61); CA 2264351(E)|

DS- <NATIONAL> AU CA CN GB JP MX US|

DS- <REGIONAL> AT; BE; CH; CY; DE; DK; ES; FI; FR; GB; GR; IE; IT; LU; MC; NL; PT; SE|

AB- <PN> WO 200055775 A2|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - The system comprises of a web based foreign exchange platform in which parties post requirements. The program identifies and matches reciprocal, offsetting positions and effects a trade at a point mid- point of the interbank bid /offer spread.|

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - An INDEPENDENT CLAIM is also included for a method of completing a foreign exchange transaction, a server programmed to process a foreign exchange transaction.

USE - For financial transactions via Internet.

ADVANTAGE - The system provides cross-border settlement of accounts converted to the currency of choice at exchange rates that represent the closest to fully efficient currency market.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows an illustration of the mechanics and benefits of transactions netting.

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DE- <TITLE TERMS> FOREIGN; EXCHANGE ; PROCESS; SYSTEM; FINANCIAL; TRANSACTION; PROGRAM; SERVE|

DC- T01|

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IC- <MAIN> G06F-017/60|
MC- <EPI> T01-J05A|
FS- EPI||

9/4/6 (Item 6 from file: 350)
DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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IM- *Image available*
AA- 1999-540172/199945|
XR- <XRPX> N99-400328|
TI- Equipment for the remote operation of a betting agency used by the
agency and people wishing to bet|
PA- JURACZKO P (JURA-I)|
AU- <INVENTORS> JURACZKO P|
NC- 025|
NP- 003|
PN- WO 9941718 A1 19990819 WO 99CZ5 A 19990211 199945 B|
PN- AU 9921482 A 19990830 AU 9921482 A 19990211 200003
PN- CZ 9800434 A3 20000315 CZ 98434 A 19980213 200021|
AN- <LOCAL> WO 99CZ5 A 19990211; AU 9921482 A 19990211; CZ 98434 A 19980213
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AN- <PR> CZ 98434 A 19980213|
FD- WO 9941718 A1 G07F-017/32
<DS> (National): AU CN DE ES GB JP SK TR US
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FD- AU 9921482 A G07F-017/32 Based on patent WO 9941718
FD- CZ 9800434 A3 G06F-019/00|
LA- WO 9941718(E<PG> 13)|
DS- <NATIONAL> AU CN DE ES GB JP SK TR US|
DS- <REGIONAL> AT; BE; CH; CY; DE; DK; ES; FI; FR; GB; GR; IE; IT; LU; MC;
NL; PT; SE|
AB- <PN> WO 9941718 A1|
AB- <NV> NOVELTY - A betting device (1) is connected by a connecting unit
(2), such as a telephone **exchange** or mobile phone, to a
telecommunications network (3), made up of internet servers (4) and
satellites (5) or a mobile telephone network, to which a central data
bank (6) is connected. The betting device has touch screen display,
coin, **bank - note** and **credit** card acceptors, a print output and a
print **coupon** output.|
AB- <BASIC> USE - The system is used by a betting agency and people wishing
to bet.
ADVANTAGE - The user can monitor a **bidding** process of betting,
actual rates and game results. Communication can be made at a low load
time such as nighttime, nationally or internationally with no language
barriers.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The figure shows the equipment for the
remote operation of a betting agency.
Betting device (1)
Connecting unit (2)
Telecommunications network (3)
Internet server (4)
Satellite (5)
Central data bank (6)
pp; 13 DwgNo 1/3|
DE- <TITLE TERMS> EQUIPMENT; REMOTE; OPERATE; BET; AGENT; AGENT; PEOPLE;
BET|
DC- T05|
IC- <MAIN> G06F-019/00; G07F-017/32|
MC- <EPI> T05-H05E|
FS- EPI||

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DIALOG(R) File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1992-417655/199251|

XR- <XRPX> N92-318497|

TI- Goods dispensing machine with smart card access control - has card entry read to provide input to memory of dispenser with transaction controlled by second operator card|

PA- ASCOM AUTELCA AG (ASCO-N)|

AU- <INVENTORS> PFEIFFER J; PITTELOUD P|

NC- 006|

NP- 005|

PN- EP 518808 A2 19921216 EP 92810328 A 19920505 199251 B|

PN- CH 683133 A5 19940114 CH 911674 A 19910605 199403

PN- EP 518808 A3 19930526 EP 92810328 A 19920505 199403

PN- EP 518808 B1 19960821 EP 92810328 A 19920505 199638

PN- DE 59206935 G 19960926 DE 506935 A 19920505 199644

<AN> EP 92810328 A 19920505|

AN- <LOCAL> EP 92810328 A 19920505; CH 911674 A 19910605; EP 92810328 A 19920505; EP 92810328 A 19920505; DE 506935 A 19920505; EP 92810328 A 19920505|

AN- <PR> CH 911674 A 19910605|

CT- No.SR.Pub; DE 4103415; EP 256768; EP 345108; EP 421808; WO 8303018|

FD- EP 518808 A2 G07F-007/08

FD- EP 518808 B1 G07F-007/08

<DS> (Regional): AT DE DK FR NL

FD- DE 59206935 G G07F-007/08 Based on patent EP 518808

FD- CH 683133 A5 G07F-007/08

FD- EP 518808 A3 G07F-007/08|

LA- EP 518808(G<PG> 11); EP 518808(G<PG> 13)|

DS- <REGIONAL> AT; DE; DK; FR; NL|

AB- <BASIC> EP 518808 A

The card operated machine provides a variety of different goods, such as postage stamps, tickets, newspapers. The unit has one card reader (2) that is used to communicate with a customer card (7) that has a **credit** card format and has a built in integrated circuit. A second reader is used for operators card.

Both readers connect with a transfer control circuit (6) and the system includes a display (4) and keyboard entry **point** (5). The unit may also be configured such that a direct link is provided to a clearing computer.

ADVANTAGE - Provides small card control of purchasing transaction.

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AB- <EP> EP 518808 B

Automatic dispenser with a chip reader (2) for the **bidirectional exchange** of data between a portable chip of the chip card (7) type and the automatic dispenser (1) and a **cash** transfer controller (6) for collecting electronic **cash** from a customer chip connected to the chip reader (2), wherein the collected electronic **cash** is transferred to a portable user chip of the chip card (8) type, characterised in that exactly one chip reader (2) is provided and in that the **cash** transfer controller (6) is designed in such a way that each electronic **cash** transfer with each customer chip (7) is recorded in an intermediate memory (21) of the automatic dispenser (1) and in that the content of the intermediate memory (21) is subsequently discharged on the user chip (8) via the same chip reader (2).

Dwg.1a/4|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> GOODS; DISPENSE; MACHINE; SMART; CARD; ACCESS; CONTROL; CARD; ENTER; READ; INPUT; MEMORY; DISPENSE; TRANSACTION; CONTROL; SECOND; OPERATE; CARD|

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DC- T05|
IC- <MAIN> G07F-007/08|
MC- <EPI> T05-H02C5C; T05-H04|
FS- EPI||

9/4/8 (Item 8 from file: 350)
DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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AA- 1987-042652/198706|
XR- <XRPX> N87-032500|
TI- Collector's **auction** game - with items in collection given **point**
values and bought using simulated **money** |
PA- GIBBON L M (GIBB-N)|
AU- <INVENTORS> GIBBON R H|
NC- 001|
NP- 001|
PN- US 4637614 A 19870120 US 85788967 A 19851018 198706 B|
AN- <LOCAL> US 85788967 A 19851018|
AN- <PR> US 85788967 A 19851018|
FD- US 4637614 A |
LA- US 4637614(16)|
AB- <BASIC> US 4637614 A

Players competitively **bid** against one another for item cards until a game board representing a house is filled with cards representing items from collections and other items. The items of the collection are afforded designated **point** values. Extra **points** are awarded as multiple pieces of a single collection are accumulated. **Bonus** or mystery **points** are awarded at the end of a game which may have a substantial outcome in determining the winner of that game. Simulated **money** of an **equal** amount is given each player.

One player is selected during each **auctioning** session to act as the banker or judge. The players, during the game, learn to recognise various collectible items and the history of a collection of the items; learn how to manage their capital learn how to refinance or sell some of their collected items to finance continued play and learn how to get along and deal or trade with one another.

USE - **Auction** game in which players attempt to obtain a complete set of items.

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DE- <TITLE TERMS> COLLECT; **AUCTION** ; GAME; ITEM; COLLECT; **POINT** ; VALUE;
BUY; SIMULATE; **MONEY** |
DC- P36|
IC- <ADDITIONAL> A63F-003/00|
FS- EngPI||

9/4/9 (Item 9 from file: 350)
DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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AA- 1981-H4922D/198132|
TI- Funds transfer system for **cash** -less transactions - has identical
modules carried by vendors and customers and each with account balance
memory and connectors to data transfer|
PA- BENTON W M (BENT-I)|
AU- <INVENTORS> BENTON W M|
NC- 006|
NP- 004|
PN- WO 8102070 A 19810723 198132 B|
PN- US 4305059 A 19811208 198152
PN- EP 42875 A 19820106 198202

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PN- JP 56501816 W 19811210 198204 |
 AN- <PR> US 80109332 A 19800103 |
 CT- US 3559175; US 4001550; US 4007355 |
 FD- WO 8102070 A
 <DS> (National): JP
 <DS> (Regional): DE FR GB SE
 FD- EP 42875 A
 <DS> (Regional): DE FR GB SE |
 LA- WO 8102070 (E<PG> 20); EP 42875 (E) |
 DS- <NATIONAL> JP |
 DS- <REGIONAL> DE; FR; GB; SE |
 AB- <BASIC> WO 8102070 A

The transfer system includes an identical funds transfer module (10) issued by a bank and carried by each member who may be a customer or vendor. The modules, which are adapted to **exchange** funds data **bidirectionally** each comprises a memory for storing an account balance, a keyboard (24) for manually entering the amount of transaction and an external connector (14) for interconnecting modules for data transfer. The account balance stored in each module as well as the transaction amount is displayed prior to completion of each transaction.

Upon approval of the transaction, the stored account balance of the customer module, is debited and funds data are transferred to **credit** the account balance stored in the vendor module. Since the modules are identical, the vendor module may subsequently be used in a customer mode. Ultimately the stored account balance may be deposited with the bank. An internal timer may be provided to periodically debit the stored account as a service charge for membership in the system.

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 DE- <TITLE TERMS> FUND; TRANSFER; SYSTEM; **CASH** ; LESS; TRANSACTION;
 IDENTICAL; MODULE; CARRY; VENDING; CUSTOMER; ACCOUNT; BALANCE; MEMORY;
 CONNECT; DATA; TRANSFER |
 DC- T01 |
 IC- <ADDITIONAL> G06F-003/00; G06F-015/30 |
 MC- <EPI> T01-C02 |
 FS- EPI ||
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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 2001-462966/200150|

TI- Strategic cooperation system through integrated point marketing|

PA- KOREA POINT BANK CO LTD (KOPO-N)|

AU- <INVENTORS> AHN B I|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- KR 2001007689 A 20010205 KR 200021158 A 20000421 200150 B|

AN- <LOCAL> KR 200021158 A 20000421|

AN- <PR> KR 200021158 A 20000421|

LA- KR 2001007689(1)|

AB- <PN> KR 2001007689 A|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - A strategic cooperation system through an integrated point marketing is provided to integrate bonus point and offer the point to customers.|

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - A previously affiliated company inserts or attaches a bonus point coupon of an identical unit price and a common standard to its manufactured goods. The company provides a point coupon collection sheet so that the sheet can be converted into a point gift certificate, which can be used in the same concept as cash, in case that a client collects the point coupons and attaches them to the point coupon collection sheet. The point gift certificates are collected and exchanged with money from the company.

pp; 1 DwgNo 1/10|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> STRATEGY; COOPERATE; SYSTEM; THROUGH; INTEGRATE; POINT ; MARKET|

DC- T01|

IC- <MAIN> G06F-017/60|

MC- <EPI> T01-J05A|

FS- EPI||

11/4/2 (Item 2 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 2001-430390/200146|

TI- Portal advertisement operation system by using ars and internet|

PA- BAE C B (BAEC-I)|

AU- <INVENTORS> BAE C B|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- KR 2001000765 A 20010105 KR 200061268 A 20001018 200146 B|

AN- <LOCAL> KR 200061268 A 20001018|

AN- <PR> KR 200061268 A 20001018|

LA- KR 2001000765(1)|

AB- <PN> KR 2001000765 A|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - A portal advertisement operation system is provided to enable a user to directly use accumulated money, offered via an online instant lottery or an advertisement search and an ARS lottery, in purchasing products at a shopping mall so that it can increase advertisement effect and increase product sales quantity over the internet.|

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - A portal advertisement operation system comprises an off-line advertisement operation system(10) and an on-line

advertisement operation system(20). The off-line advertisement operation system(10) **offers** the user an advertisement message via the ARS, informs the user of then lottery results after finishing the advertisement message, lets the user input a social security number, and then **offers** the next advertisement message. The on-line advertisement operation system(20) includes a TV-CF advertisement, a small and medium company advertisement, a nationwide advertisement, an accumulated **money exchange** site, and a shopping mall. If the user clicks an advertisement button, **bonus money** is accumulated. If the user clicks an instant lottery button, the user can receive a message of the lottery result, or a message of inputting a social security number in the case of winning the lottery.

pp; 1 DwgNo 1/10|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> PORTAL; ADVERTISE; OPERATE; SYSTEM|
DC- T01|
IC- <MAIN> G06F-017/60|
MC- <EPI> T01-J05A|
FS- EPI||

11/4/3 (Item 3 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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AA- 2000-572650/200054|
XR- <XRAM> C00-170789|
TI- Technology for treatment of waste liquid containing cyanogen by anion **exchange** method|
PA- GAO D (GAOD-I)|
AU- <INVENTORS> GAO D|
NC- 001|
NP- 001|
PN- CN 1141886 A 19970205 CN 96106396 A 19960611 200054 B|
AN- <LOCAL> CN 96106396 A 19960611|
AN- <PR> CN 96106396 A 19960611|
AB- <PN> CN 1141886 A|
AB- <NV> NOVELTY - Cyanogen-contained waste water in the **gold** industry is treated by passing the anion in waste water through an anion- **exchange** resin, to adsorb impurities in waste water. The anion on the resin is substituted and fed into treated waste water to reduce impurity concentrations that reduce **gold** recovery, so to ensure the cyclic utilization of the waste water. The process **offers** high **benefits** and low cost.|
AB- <BASIC> DwgNo 0/0|
DE- <TITLE TERMS> TECHNOLOGY; TREAT; WASTE; LIQUID; CONTAIN; CYANOGEN; ANION; **EXCHANGE** ; METHOD|
DC- D15; M25|
IC- <MAIN> C02F-001/44|
IC- <ADDITIONAL> B01J-047/02|
MC- <CPI> D04-A01G; D04-B; M25-E01; M25-G20|
FS- CPI||

11/4/4 (Item 4 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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AA- 2000-548293/200050|
DX- <RELATED> 1998-086143; 1999-243209|
XR- <XRAM> C00-163580|
TI- Modifying soluble plant acyl carrier protein desaturase, useful for producing economically **valuable** monounsaturated fatty acids, involves altering amino acid residues in the substrate binding channel of the

desaturase|

PA- BROOKHAVEN SCI ASSOC (BROO-N)|

AU- <INVENTORS> CAHOON E B; LINDGVIST Y; SCHNEIDER G; SHANKLIN J|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- US 6100091 A 20000808 US 96689823 A 19960814 200050 B

<AN> US 97853979 A 19970509

<AN> US 99276295 A 19990325|

AN- <LOCAL> US 96689823 A 19960814; US 97853979 A 19970509; US 99276295 A 19990325|

AN- <PR> US 97853979 A 19970509; US 96689823 A 19960814; US 99276295 A 19990325|

FD- US 6100091 A C12N-015/09 CIP of application US 96689823

Cont of application US 97853979

CIP of patent US 5705391

Cont of patent US 5888790|

LA- US 6100091(21)|

AB- <PN> US 6100091 A|

AB- <NV> NOVELTY - Modifying the chain length and double bond positional specificities of a soluble plant fatty acid desaturase, comprising modifying one or more amino acid residues in the substrate binding channel of the soluble plant fatty acid desaturase that do not make direct contact with the substrate, is new.|

AB- <BASIC> DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(1) modifying the chain length and double bond specificities of a soluble plant fatty acid desaturase comprising modifying the amino acid residue corresponding to amino acid 200 of the *Ricinus communis* DELTA9 acyl carrier protein (ACP) desaturase;

(2) modifying the chain length and double bond positional specificities of an acyl-ACP desaturase comprising:

(a) providing the primary amino acid sequence of the acyl-ACP desaturase;

(b) aligning the primary amino acid sequence of the acyl-ACP desaturase with the primary amino acid sequence of the *R. communis* DELTA9 desaturase for maximum sequence conservation;

(c) constructing a 3-dimensional model for the acyl-ACP desaturase based on the sequence conservation with the *R. communis* DELTA9 desaturase;

(d) identifying amino acid residues, which most closely correspond to amino acids 200, 203, 204, 205, 206 and 207 of *R. communis* DELTA9 desaturase, of the structure modeled in step (2c); and

(e) generating a mutant acyl-ACP desaturase having modified chain length and double bond positional specificities by replacing one or more amino acid residues identified in step (2d) with another amino acid residue;

(3) a mutant acyl-ACP desaturase characterized by its ability to catalyze desaturation of two fatty acids having different chain lengths, the desaturation rates of both fatty acids differing by not more than 4-fold, the mutant containing a point mutation at one or more amino acid residues that do not make direct contact with substrate;

(4) a mutant acyl-ACP desaturase with one or more amino acid substitutions at residues that do not make direct contact with the substrate, which is characterized by changes in chain length and double bond positional specificity, compared to its wild-type counterpart;

(5) a nucleic acid sequence encoding the mutant acyl-ACP desaturase of (3), and having a sufficient degree of amino acid identity with the amino acid sequence of *R. communis* DELTA9 desaturase to enable statistically significant sequence alignment with the *R. communis* DELTA9 desaturase;

(6) a DNA vector comprising, in expressible form, the nucleic acid of (5) that encodes the mutant acyl-ACP desaturase; and

(7) a cell transformed

with the DNA expression construct of (6);

(8) a DNA vector comprising, in expressible form, a nucleic acid sequence encoding a chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase able to catalyze desaturation of two fatty acids with different chain lengths and desaturation rates;

(9) modifying the chain length and double bond position specificities of a soluble plant fatty acid desaturase, comprising modifying amino acid contact residues in the substrate binding channel of the soluble fatty acid desaturase, which contact the fatty acid and modifying one or more amino acids that do not contact the substrate;

(10) modifying the chain length and double bond positional specificities of an acyl-ACP desaturase comprising:

(a) employing steps (a)-(c) of the method of (2);

(b) identifying amino acid contact residues within the substrate binding channel of the constructed model;

(c) employing step (d) of the method of (2)

(d) generating a mutant acyl-ACP desaturase having modified chain length and double bond positional specificities by replacing one or more of the amino acid contact residues identified in (10b) with another amino acid residue, and replacing one or more amino acid residues identified in (10c) with another amino acid residue;

(11) a mutant acyl-ACP desaturase able to catalyze desaturation of two fatty acids having different chain lengths, and desaturation rates which differ by not more than 4-fold, and which contain a **point** mutation at one or more amino acid contact residues in the substrate binding channel, and further contain a **point** mutation at one or more amino acid residues that do not make direct contact with the substrate;

(12) a mutant acyl-ACP desaturase having amino acid substitutions at contact residues within the substrate binding channel, and amino acid substations at residues that do not make direct contact with the substrate;

(13) a nucleic acid sequence encoding the mutant acyl-ACP desaturase of (11), where the nucleic acid sequence has a sufficient degree of amino acid identity with the amino acid sequence of R. communis DELTA9 desaturase to enable statistically significant sequence alignment with the R. communis DELTA9 desaturase; and

(14) a cell transformed with a DNA expression construct comprising, in expressible form, the nucleic acid sequence of (13).

USE For designing and producing new types of acyl-ACP desaturases without isolating cDNAs for these enzymes from plant sources. In addition, the method is useful in designing acyl-ACP desaturases that can catalyze the synthesis of economically **valuable** monounsaturated fatty acids that are not found in nature. The method **offers** an alternative means of petroselinic acid production in plants. This fatty acid is used to produce low-calorie margarine and as a precursor of adipic acid for the manufacture of nylon 66. The mutants generated by altering the identity of one or more contact residues in the substrate binding channel can be used to generate acyl-ACP desaturases having unique functional characteristics. Such enzymes are useful, e.g. for generating vegetable oils rich in monounsaturated fatty acids. The oils are important in human nutrition and can be used as renewable sources of industrial chemicals. The vectors are useful for producing a desired protein product (e.g. mutant acyl-ACP desaturase) within a plant cell.

ADVANTAGE - By producing the enzyme in situ, modification of the product can occur prior to harvest, allowing rapid purification of the desired fatty acid with the appropriate double bond position, and without the need of costly manufacturing steps. In some instances, more than one mutant acyl-ACP desaturase may be desired in a particular transgenic plant to produce fatty acids with double bonds at multiple positions. Plants are also easy to cultivate, and grow in large quantity.

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AB- <TF> TECHNOLOGY FOCUS - BIOTECHNOLOGY - Preferred Enzyme: The amino

acid residues are located at the upper part of the substrate binding channel of the soluble fatty acid desaturase. The soluble plant fatty acid desaturase is an acyl-ACP desaturase, specifically DELTA9 desaturase. The DELTA9 desaturase is produced by the plant *Thunbergia alata* or *R. communis*. Preferably, the amino acid residues that do not make direct contact with the substrate correspond to amino acids 200, 203, 204, 205, 206 and 207 of the *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase. The mutant acyl-ACP desaturase is characterized by changes in chain length and double bond positional specificity compared to the wild-type acyl-ACP desaturase counterpart. The first fatty acid of the mutant acyl-ACP desaturase has a chain length of 16:0 and the second fatty acid has a chain length of 18:0. The DELTA9 acyl-ACP desaturase is produced by mutating the nucleic acid cloned from *T. alata* or *R. communis*. The point mutation is introduced into wild-type *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase at residue 200 of *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase. The point mutation may also be introduced into wild-type *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase at one or more amino acid residues corresponding to 203, 204, 205, 206 and 207 of the *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase. The chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase comprises DELTA6-16:0 in which amino acids 172-201 of *T. alata* DELTA6-16:0 ACP desaturase are replaced with amino acids 178-207 of the *T. alata* DELTA9-18:0 ACP desaturase. The chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase also comprises DELTA6-16:0 in which amino acids corresponding to amino acids 172-196 of *T. alata* DELTA6-16:0 ACP desaturase are replaced with amino acids 178-202 of the *T. alata* DELTA9-18:0 ACP desaturase. The chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase may comprise DELTA6-16:0 in which amino acids 183 and 184 of *T. alata* DELTA6-16:0 ACP desaturase are replaced with amino acids 188 and 189 of the *T. alata* DELTA9-18:0 ACP desaturase, respectively. The chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase may also comprise DELTA6-16:0 in which amino acids 176 and 195 of *T. alata* DELTA6-16:0 ACP desaturase are replaced with amino acids 181 and 200 of the *T. alata* DELTA9-18:0 ACP desaturase, respectively. The chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase may comprise DELTA6-16:0 in which amino acids 176, 183, 184, 200, 201 and 202 of *T. alata* DELTA6-16:0 ACP desaturase are replaced with amino acids 181, 188, 189, 205, 206 and 207 of the *T. alata* DELTA9-18:0 ACP desaturase, respectively. The chimeric acyl-ACP desaturase also comprises DELTA6-16:0 in which amino acids corresponding to amino acids 176, 195, 200, 201 and 202 of *T. alata* DELTA6-16:0 ACP desaturase are replaced with amino acids 181, 200, 205, 206 and 207 of the *T. alata* DELTA9-18:0 ACP desaturase, respectively.

Preferred Amino Acids: The amino acid contact residues correspond to amino acids 114, 115, 117, 118, 179, 181, 188 and 189 of the *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase. The amino acids that do not contact or make direct contact with the substrate correspond to residues 200, 203, 204, 205, 206 and 207 of the *R. communis* DELTA9 ACP desaturase.

Preferred Cell: The cell is a prokaryotic or eukaryotic cell, preferably a plant cell|

AB- <XA> EXAMPLE - Mutations L118F and P179I were introduced sequentially into the castor (*Ricinus communis*) DELTA9-18:0-ACP desaturase. The mutation L118F was generated by overlap extension polymerase chain reaction (PCR) using the coding sequence of the mature wild-type castor DELTA9-18:0-ACP desaturase in the vector pET9d as the template. Two separate PCR reactions were conducted using the following primer pairs (base changes shown in upper case): T7 primer and (I); and (II) and Primer A. The agarose gel-purified products of the two reactions were combined and amplified together with the T7 primer and Primer A. The product containing the mutation for L118F was digested with XbaI and BamHI, and inserted in place of the corresponding portion of the wild-type castor DELTA9-18:0-ACP desaturase in the vector pET9d. The double mutant was generated using the coding sequence of mutant L118F in pET9d as template, and the following primer pairs (base changes in upper case): T7 primer and (III); and (IV) and Primer A. The product generated following two rounds of PCR was digested with XbaI and PstT,

and inserted in place of the corresponding portion of the wild-type castor DELTA9-18:0-ACP desaturase in vector pET9d. Protein purification was performed using diethylaminoethyl DEAE-anion **exchange** chromatography followed by perfusion cation **exchange** chromatography. Acyl-ACP desaturation assays and analysis of reaction products were conducted. Results demonstrated the ability to modify the substrate and double bond positional specificities of acyl-ACP desaturases using amino acid alignments either alone or in conjunction with three-dimensional structural data from the castor DELTA9-18:0-ACP desaturase. (I) 5'-ccgaactccatcGaaggtattcagca-3' (II) 5'-tgctgaataccttCgatggagttcgg-3' (III) 5'-ggactgttttctgtccgAATatccattcctgaacca-3' (IV) 5'-tggttcaggaatggatATTcggacagaaaacagtcc-3' (Primer A) 5'-gcaaaagccaaaacggtaccatcaggatca-3'.

DE- <TITLE TERMS> MODIFIED; SOLUBLE; PLANT; ACYL; CARRY; PROTEIN; USEFUL; PRODUCE; ECONOMY; **VALUABLE** ; FATTY; ACID; ALTER; AMINO; ACID; RESIDUE; SUBSTRATE; BIND; CHANNEL|
DC- C06; D16|
IC- <MAIN> C12N-015/09|
IC- <ADDITIONAL> C07H-021/04; C12N-005/14; C12N-009/02; C12N-015/29|
MC- <CPI> C04-B01B; C04-B01C1; C04-E02E; C04-E08; C04-F0800E; C04-L0300E; D05-C03B; D05-H12B2; D05-H12E; D05-H14B3; D05-H16B; D05-H17B3|
FS- CPI||

11/4/5 (Item 5 from file: 350)
DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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IM- *Image available*
AA- 1999-580931/199950|
DX- <RELATED> 1999-430271|
XR- <XRPX> N99-428977|
TI- Electronic funds transfer system with **cash** **rebate** to encourage its use|
PA- ALLEN & ASSOC PTY LTD RICHARD (ALLE-N)|
AU- <INVENTORS> ALLEN R R|
NC- 001|
NP- 001|
PN- AU 709830 B 19990909 AU 9916520 A 19981222 199950 B
<AN> AU 9932256 A 19990527|
AN- <LOCAL> AU 9916520 A 19981222; AU 9932256 A 19990527|
AN- <PR> AU 9916520 A 19981222; AU 9932256 A 19990527|
FD- AU 709830 B G06F-017/60 Div ex application AU 9916520|
LA- AU 709830(24)|
AB- <PN> AU 709830 B|
AB- <NV> NOVELTY - A smart card is given a specific value (500), when the card is used to purchase something the card is debited the item cost (501). The customer is automatically given a **rebate** (502) that is a percentage of the debit value (503, 505). The customer may also be given a further **reward** if they meet certain criterion (507).|
AB- <BASIC> USE - The system is for use in electronic fund transfer applications.
ADVANTAGE - The system encourages the user to carry out transactions electronically. If the customer has to decide between two business's when purchasing goods they are more likely to choose the one that **offers** a **cash** **rebate** system.
DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing shows a flow diagram of funds transfer using a **cash** card and digital **cash** **exchange** terminal.
Cash card value (500)
Debit transaction (501)
Rebate (502)

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Calculation of **rebate** (503, 505)

Reward (507)

pp; 24 DwgNo 5/5|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> ELECTRONIC; FUND; TRANSFER; SYSTEM; **CASH** ; **REBATE** ;
ENCOURAGE|

DC- T01; T05|

IC- <MAIN> G06F-017/60|

IC- <ADDITIONAL> G07F-007/08; G07F-019/00|

MC- <EPI> T01-E02; T01-J05A1; T05-H02C3; T05-L02; T05-L03|

FS- EPI||

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DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1998-603466/199851|

XR- <XRAM> C98-180909|

TI- **Valuable** metal reclamation from blast furnace metal sludge in steel
manufacture - involves drying and heating metal sludge charge, by heat
exchange from sensible heat of exhaust gases from vertical reduction
furnace as it is added from upper tuyere|

PA- KAWASAKI STEEL CORP (KAWI)|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- JP 10273740 A 19981013 JP 9776904 A 19970328 199851 B|

AN- <LOCAL> JP 9776904 A 19970328|

AN- <PR> JP 9776904 A 19970328|

FD- JP 10273740 A C22B-007/00|

LA- JP 10273740(8)|

AB- <BASIC> JP 10273740 A

The method involves collecting **valuable** metal from metal sludge
in a vertical fusion reduction furnace. The vertical fusion furnace has
several tuyeres provided in two steps through its walls. High
temperature air is blown into a charcoal filled layer. A charge of
blast furnace metal sludge containing metals at a high steam pressure
is introduced into furnace from an upper tuyere. Heat **exchange** by
sensible heat of exhaust gas from fusion reduction furnace is utilised,
and heat **exchange** takes place to more than 800degC and the charge of
metal sludge is dried.

ADVANTAGE - Enables effective usage of sensible heat of exhaust gas
for drying metal sludge. Enables to remove moisture in metal sludge
beforehand to dry it. Reduces thermal energy required for drying.
Enables energy conservation and control of CO2 gas. **Offers** usage for
recollecting **valuable** metal also from hydrated dust of low melting
point metal during dechlorination of electric furnace dust.

Dwg.1/3|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> **VALUABLE** ; METAL; RECLAIM; BLAST; FURNACE; METAL; SLUDGE
; STEEL; MANUFACTURE; DRY; HEAT; METAL; SLUDGE; CHARGE; HEAT; **EXCHANGE**
; SENSE; HEAT; EXHAUST; GAS; VERTICAL; REDUCE; FURNACE; ADD; UPPER;
TUYERE|

DC- M24; M25|

IC- <MAIN> C22B-007/00|

IC- <ADDITIONAL> C21B-011/02; C22B-007/02; C22B-013/02; C22B-019/30|

MC- <CPI> M24-A07A; M25-E01|

FS- CPI||

11/4/7 (Item 7 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1998-298191/199826|

XR- <XRPX> N98-233228|

TI- Method providing foreign **exchange** insurance policy performed by data processor. - receives from user policy requirements including user identity, accesses data corresponding to specified **currency** and current market conditions|

PA- WALKER ASSET MANAGEMENT LP (WALK-N); WALKER DIGITAL LLC (WALK-N)|

AU- <INVENTORS> JORASCH J A; WALKER J S|

NC- 080|

NP- 006|

PN- WO 9821680 A1 19980522 WO 97US20754 A 19971113 199826 B|

PN- AU 9852568 A 19980603 AU 9852568 A 19971113 199842

PN- US 5884274 A 19990316 US 96749241 A 19961115 199918

PN- EP 1016011 A1 20000705 EP 97947505 A 19971113 200035

<AN> WO 97US20754 A 19971113

PN- JP 2000509859 W 20000802 WO 97US20754 A 19971113 200042

<AN> JP 98522826 A 19971113

PN- US 6128598 A 20001003 US 96749241 A 19961115 200050

<AN> US 99262810 A 19990305|

AN- <LOCAL> WO 97US20754 A 19971113; AU 9852568 A 19971113; US 96749241 A 19961115; US 96749241 A 19961115; US 99262810 A 19990305; EP 97947505 A 19971113; WO 97US20754 A 19971113; WO 97US20754 A 19971113; JP 98522826 A 19971113|

AN- <PR> US 96749241 A 19961115; US 99262810 A 19990305|

FD- WO 9821680 A1 G06F-017/60

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<DS> (Regional): AT BE CH DE DK EA ES FI FR GB GH GR IE IT KE LS LU MC MW NL OA PT SD SE SZ UG ZW

FD- AU 9852568 A G06F-017/60 Based on patent WO 9821680

FD- EP 1016011 A1 G06F-017/60 Based on patent WO 9821680

<DS> (Regional): AL AT BE CH DE DK ES FI FR GB GR IE IT LI LT LU LV MC MK NL PT RO SE SI

FD- JP 2000509859 W G06F-017/60 Based on patent WO 9821680

FD- US 6128598 A G06F-017/60 Cont of application US 96749241

Cont of patent US 5884274|

LA- WO 9821680 (E<PG> 63); EP 1016011 (E); JP 2000509859 (68)|

DS- <NATIONAL> AL AM AT AU AZ BA BB BG BR BY CA CH CN CU CZ DE DK EE ES FI GB GE GH HU ID IL IS JP KE KG KP KR KZ LC LK LR LS LT LU LV MD MG MK MN MW MX NO NZ PL PT RO RU SD SE SG SI SK SL TJ TM TR TT UA UG UZ VN YU ZW

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DS- <REGIONAL> AT; BE; CH; DE; DK; EA; ES; FI; FR; GB; GH; GR; IE; IT; KE; LS; LU; MC; MW; NL; OA; PT; SD; SE; SZ; UG; ZW; AL; LI; LT; LV; MK; RO; SI|

AB- <BASIC> WO 9821680 A

The method receives from a user policy requirements for the foreign **exchange** insurance policy, the policy requirements including user ID. These are then stored. The data corresponding to the specified **currency** and current market conditions is accessed. **Currency** volatility is estimated from the accessed data.

A premium cost based on the **currency** volatility is determined. A tracking code for the foreign **exchange** insurance policy is issued, which is stored corresponding to the user ID. Tracking includes the sub-step of issuing the tracking code with policy requirements.

USE - Relates to foreign **currency** **exchange** and to generating and executing insurance policies for foreign **exchange** losses.

ADVANTAGE - Protects individual consumers against unpredictable fluctuations of foreign **exchange** rates, and **offers** more flexible method for large entities to ensure against **currency** fluctuations. Protects through commonly accessible objects such as **credit** cards or

ATMs.

Dwg.7/19|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> METHOD; FOREIGN; **EXCHANGE** ; INSURANCE; PERFORMANCE; DATA
; PROCESSOR; RECEIVE; USER; REQUIRE; USER; IDENTIFY; ACCESS; DATA;
CORRESPOND; SPECIFIED; **CURRENCY** ; CURRENT; MARKET; CONDITION|

DC- T01|

IC- <MAIN> G06F-017/60|

IC- <ADDITIONAL> G06F-019/00|

MC- <EPI> T01-J03; T01-J05A; T01-J05B4P|

FS- EPI||

11/4/8 (Item 8 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1998-218638/199820|

XR- <XRAM> C98-069245|

XR- <XRPX> N98-172879|

TI- Sturdy prefabricated light concrete wall with special air conditioning
properties - has embedded heating or cooling pipes and is able to
absorb and return atmospheric moisture without condensation whilst
offering special **benefits** for heat pump- and thermal storage systems|

PA- ARZT L (ARZT-I); REIMANN W (REIM-I)|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- DE 29722890 U1 19980409 DE 97U2022890 U 19971227 199820 B|

AN- <LOCAL> DE 97U2022890 U 19971227|

AN- <PR> DE 97U2022890 U 19971227|

FD- DE 29722890 U1 E04B-002/00|

LA- DE 29722890(7)|

AB- <BASIC> DE 29722890 U

Here is a novelty, a sturdy prefabricated wall with air
conditioning properties which is eminently suitable for low temperature
heat **exchange** applications. It comprises a light concrete containing
mineral fillers, which is able to absorb and return atmospheric
moisture. In the manufacturing process, a tubing system is
incorporated, to form part of a water-heating and cooling circuit. The
circuit comprises multilayer polyethylene tubing (includes metallic
barrier layer), which is laid into the casting mould, together with
other cast-in components, before pouring.

Preferably, when used as an outer wall, a high level of thermal
insulation is applied, the k value being 0.17 or better. Pipework
connections are recessed into a basal box in the wall for subsequent
connection.

USE - A prefabricated wall with embedded heat **exchange** tubes and
special air tempering and conditioning properties.

ADVANTAGE - The wall combines known principles and modern
technology, to improve the air condition in buildings, for low
manufacturing and operational costs. Wall heating operates at low
temperature and is particularly suitable for certain types of
available, low-grade heat. It is highly suitable for use with heat
pumps. It can also be used in the manner of a storage heater, or as
part of a ground heat **exchange** system. The wall can be cooled when
necessary; achieving a satisfactory result with only a small
temperature drop, because of the large surface area. This has a
valuable benefit, in that the temperature is easily kept above dew
point, preventing condensation problems. Precautions are suggested
against possible puncturing when subsequently adding wall fittings

Dwg.1/2|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> STURDY; PREFABRICATED; LIGHT; CONCRETE; WALL; SPECIAL;
AIR; CONDITION; PROPERTIES; EMBED; HEAT; COOLING; PIPE; ABLE; ABSORB;

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RETURN; ATMOSPHERE; MOIST; CONDENSATION; OFFER ; SPECIAL; BENEFICIAL;
HEAT; PUMP; THERMAL; STORAGE; SYSTEM|
DC- A93; Q43; Q44; Q74|
IC- <MAIN> E04B-002/00|
IC- <ADDITIONAL> E04C-002/52; F24D-003/14; F24F-005/00|
MC- <CPI> A12-R01A|
FS- CPI; EngPI||

11/4/9 (Item 9 from file: 350)
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IM- *Image available*
AA- 1998-200015/199818|
XR- <XRPX> N98-159066|
TI- Tariff management system for subscriber communication network -
includes processor which reads and writes network resources information
on each packet and updates tariff information of each subscriber
according to memory contents|
PA- NIPPON TELEGRAPH & TELEPHONE CORP (NITE)|
NC- 001|
NP- 001|
PN- JP 10051570 A 19980220 JP 96204405 A 19960802 199818 B|
AN- <LOCAL> JP 96204405 A 19960802|
AN- <PR> JP 96204405 A 19960802|
FD- JP 10051570 A H04M-015/00|
LA- JP 10051570(18)|
AB- <BASIC> JP 10051570 A

The system includes a network control centre (106), network
currency centre (107) and several switching units and subscriber
terminals. Each switching unit transmits and receives packets to and
from the subscriber terminals. Each packet has areas containing
information on packet classification, object subscriber ID, network
resources, network service and **exchangeable** network tariff.

A memory stores the balance of network **currency** for each
subscriber. A processor performs the read-write of each area of the
packet and updates the tariff information according to the memory
contents.

ADVANTAGE - Maintains fee system of network. **Offers discount**
service and network resources **exchange** negotiable service. Improves
performance characteristics and service quality.

Dwg.1/15|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> TARIFF; MANAGEMENT; SYSTEM; SUBSCRIBER; COMMUNICATE;
NETWORK; PROCESSOR; READ; WRITING; NETWORK; RESOURCE; INFORMATION;
PACKET; UPDATE; TARIFF; INFORMATION; SUBSCRIBER; ACCORD; MEMORY;
CONTENT|
DC- W01|
IC- <MAIN> H04M-015/00|
IC- <ADDITIONAL> H04L-012/14; H04L-012/56; H04M-003/00; H04Q-011/04|
MC- <EPI> W01-A03B; W01-A06G2; W01-C02A7; W01-C02B9; W01-C06|
FS- EPI||

11/4/10 (Item 10 from file: 350)
DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX
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IM- *Image available*
AA- 1997-397472/199737|
XR- <XRPX> N97-330831|
TI- Pachinko machine with ball disbursement management function - uses ball
disbursement management apparatus with game result output circuit that

outputs and writes computed total number of balls passing to ball expelling rail on predetermined recording medium|

PA- CALSONIC CORP (NIRD)|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- JP 9173603 A 19970708 JP 96121668 A 19960516 199737 B|

AN- <LOCAL> JP 96121668 A 19960516|

AN- <PR> JP 95279929 A 19951027|

FD- JP 9173603 A |

LA- JP 9173603(15)|

AB- <BASIC> JP 9173603 A

The machine includes a ball launching apparatus (7) which launches a ball, supplied from a ball supply device to two storage plates (4,10), on the surface of a game board (8). A ball expelling rail leads the thrown ball, which is accumulated in the storage plate, to an external ball collection rail to which the prize balls are expelled. The total number of balls that passes to the ball expelling rail is calculated by a ball sensor.

The computed total number of balls that passes to the ball expelling rail is displayed by the display device (33) of a ball disbursement management apparatus. A game end instruction is input to the ball disbursement management apparatus (32) by pushing a game end switch-button (36). The computed total number of balls, which is displayed in the display device, is output and written by the game result output circuit of the ball disbursement management apparatus on a predetermined recording medium (34a).

ADVANTAGE - Manages ball disbursement and provides gift exchange without using money maker in pachinko machine. Offers pachinko machine which can be played continuously even during overflow of balls.

Dwg.1/10|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> MACHINE; BALL; MANAGEMENT; FUNCTION; BALL; MANAGEMENT; APPARATUS; GAME; RESULT; OUTPUT; CIRCUIT; OUTPUT; WRITING; COMPUTATION; TOTAL; NUMBER; BALL; PASS; BALL; EXPEL; RAIL; PREDETERMINED; RECORD; MEDIUM|

DC- P36; W04|

IC- <MAIN> A63F-007/02|

MC- <EPI> W04-X02A1|

FS- EPI; EngPI||

11/4/11 (Item 11 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1996-248597/199625|

XR- <XRPX> N96-208852|

TI- Point card-telephone card combination - include acquisition point and exchange to which charge of paid in-use of public exchange of constant amount given to constant frame according to amount sold is written|

PA- UNITY KK (UNIT-N)|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- JP 8101899 A 19960416 JP 94259646 A 19940930 199625 B|

AN- <LOCAL> JP 94259646 A 19940930|

AN- <PR> JP 94259646 A 19940930|

FD- JP 8101899 A G06K-019/06|

LA- JP 8101899(5)|

AB- <BASIC> JP 8101899 A

The combination has a telephone card function with a fixed-amount money, which can be inserted in a public telephone set to which a telephone-call service of a constant fee is received. A charge for

every telephone-call service to be paid for the use of public circuit is written in an acquisition **point** and **exchange** which are given to a constant frame according to the amount sold for every telephone-call service with a constant amount.

ADVANTAGE - Reduces neither mistake nor fear of loss. Provides convenience to user in carrying since **point** card and telephone card comprised integrally on one card. Prevents firm damage to card since card combination has polyethylene terephthalate resin. Enables user to simply check data at glance. Provides necessary use to **selling** promotion. Quickly reduces **offer** of service to customer reducing staff. Directly improves customer purchase volition.

Dwg.1/2|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> **POINT** ; CARD; TELEPHONE; CARD; COMBINATION; ACQUIRE;
POINT ; **EXCHANGE** ; CHARGE; PAY; PUBLIC; **EXCHANGE** ; CONSTANT; AMOUNT;
 CONSTANT; FRAME; ACCORD; AMOUNT; SOLD; WRITING|
 DC- T04; T05; W01|
 IC- <MAIN> G06K-019/06|
 IC- <ADDITIONAL> G06K-019/00; G07F-007/08; H04M-015/00|
 MC- <EPI> T04-C01; T05-H02C1; T05-H02C5A; T05-H05C; W01-C07A5|
 FS- EPI||

11/4/12 (Item 12 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1996-089837/199610|

XR- <XRPX> N96-075129|

TI- Free **exchange** **coupon** contents configuring method - takes up **money**
 inscribed on **coupon** part as **coupon** holder's **credit** |

PA- THOMPSON D T (THOM-I); THOMPSON K (THOM-I)|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- JP 7290871 A 19951107 JP 94110187 A 19940427 199610 B|

AN- <LOCAL> JP 94110187 A 19940427|

AN- <PR> JP 94110187 A 19940427|

FD- JP 7290871 A B42D-015/10|

LA- JP 7290871(7)|

AB- <BASIC> JP 7290871 A

The method is applicable to **coupon** consisting of a base layer which has an outer surface and an inner surface . The inner surface is covered with a thin binding material. It also consists of a **coupon** part having a **coupon** layer , a **coupon** surface and a binding material surface, which have the same overall dimensions as that of the base layer. The binding material layer of the **coupon** part is connected with the base layer.

ADVANTAGE - **Offers** good tracking system to prevent forgery of free **exchange** **coupon** . Prints identification data such as name or sign on to **coupons** .

Dwg.1/12|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> FREE; **EXCHANGE** ; **COUPON** ; CONTENT; METHOD; UP; **MONEY** ;
 INSCRIBE; **COUPON** ; PART; **COUPON** ; HOLD; **CREDIT** |

DC- P76|

IC- <MAIN> B42D-015/10|

IC- <ADDITIONAL> G07G-001/12|

FS- EngPI||

11/4/13 (Item 13 from file: 350)

DIALOG(R)File 350:Derwent WPIX

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IM- *Image available*

AA- 1994-291707/199436|

XR- <XRPX> N94-229500|

TI- Automatic machine for **selling special offer** goods - delivers
vouchers which will buy goods with higher normal price than **cash**
inserted i.e. goods purchasable with **discount** |

PA- BILLION L J M (BILL-I); WILS A A (WILS-I) |

AU- <INVENTORS> BILLION L J M; WILS A A|

NC- 001|

NP- 001|

PN- NL 9300239 A 19940901 NL 93239 A 19930205 199436 B|

AN- <LOCAL> NL 93239 A 19930205|

AN- <PR> NL 93239 A 19930205|

FD- NL 9300239 A G07F-017/32|

LA- NL 9300239(14) |

AB- <BASIC> NL 9300239 A

The machine is mounted in a console (7), which has a visual display
(8), a keyboard (9), banknote input slot (10), **cash** return and change
slot (11), LED readout (13) and voucher delivery slot (12)

The display will show a variety of products available from retail
outlets, together with a **discount** figure, e.g. ''minus 20 per cent''.
The purchaser can control the display, via the keyboard to select the
goods in which they are interested. If they decide to purchase the
discounted object, the necessary banknotes are inserted, decision keys
are operated and the printed voucher is collected. The voucher can then
be taken to the shop and **exchanged** for the goods.

Dwg.2/4|

DE- <TITLE TERMS> AUTOMATIC; MACHINE; SELL; SPECIAL; **OFFER** ; GOODS;
DELIVER; VOUCHER; BUY; GOODS; HIGH; NORMAL; PRICE; **CASH** ; INSERT;
GOODS; **DISCOUNT** |

DC- T05|

IC- <MAIN> G07F-017/32|

IC- <ADDITIONAL> G07F-017/16|

MC- <EPI> T05-H02A; T05-H05C; T05-L01|

FS- EPI||

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Austria launches 30 yr Dfl parallel, Spain set to follow with euro debut

Anonymous

Euroweek n510 PP: 2 Jul 11,1997

ISSN: 0952-7036 JRNL CODE: EUW

WORD COUNT: 963

...TEXT: Dutch government has already completed its funding for the year.

The possibility of stripping the **coupons** subject to a minimum of Dfl 500m remaining unstripped was an additional attraction for the deal. Stripped **coupons** will be mandatorily **convertible** into strips of the schilling bond. The domestic **auction** represented the government's third sale of strippable schilling bonds, which now total some Asch46bn...

2/3,K/3 (Item 2 from file: 15)

DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)

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01276955 99-26351

Auction format matters: Evidence on bidding behavior and seller revenue

Feldman, Robert A; Reinhart, Vincent

International Monetary Fund Staff Papers v43n2 PP: 395-418 Jun 1996

ISSN: 0020-8027 JRNL CODE: IMF

WORD COUNT: 6489

...TEXT: were greater than those recorded either at the first ten or at all discriminatory-price **auctions** ." More aggressive bidding in the uniform-price **auctions** , of course, need not **translate** into higher revenue for the seller, because **awards** are made at one market-clearing price. The last column of the table presents revenue...

2/3,K/4 (Item 1 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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07359228 Supplier Number: 59126694 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

FCC URGED NOT TO AUCTION ITFS INVOLVING PUBLIC BROADCASTERS.(Brief Article)

Public Broadcasting Report, v20, n4, p6

Feb 27, 1998

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Article Type: Brief Article

Document Type: Newsletter; Trade

Word Count: 585

... public broadcasting stations "uniformly reported that they lack the substantial resources necessary to compete in **auctions** for broadcast licenses." Other **points** : (1) Commission shouldn't revise rules to permit FM **translators** to interfere with fullservice FM stations, even if upgrade makes them more attractive to bidders...

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05485032 Supplier Number: 48310764 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

ITFS AUCTIONS OPPOSED

Television Digest, v38, n8, pN/A

Feb 23, 1998

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newsletter; Trade

Word Count: 439

... only reserved stations. Filing said public broadcasters "lack the substantial resources necessary to compete in **auctions** for broadcast licenses."

Other **points** : (1) Commission shouldn't revise rules to permit **FM translators** to interfere with full-service FM stations, even if upgrade makes them more attractive to...

2/3,K/6 (Item 1 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02165977

Employment ministry to encourage the changing of overtime for new jobs(Trabajo incentivara el cambio de horas extra por puestos de trabajo)

EL MUNDO (SPAIN), p35

July 09, 1998

JOURNAL CODE: WELM LANGUAGE: Spanish RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

WORD COUNT: 157

... in the working week, Arenas wants to co-ordinate another labour agreement with three main **points** : the aforementioned overtime, through incentives to companies to **convert** this to jobs; new regulation of part-time contracts, and the **auction** of Pta 1,300 billion of debts arising from previous industrial restructuring. Next week's...

2/3,K/7 (Item 1 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale group. All rts. reserv.

04160589 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 16388616 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
AAMS and AFA to merge; pending member approval. (American Air Mail Society; Aerophilatelic Federation of the Americas)

Stamps, v249, n3, p22(1)

Oct 15, 1994

ISSN: 0038-9358 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT; ABSTRACT

WORD COUNT: 1049 LINE COUNT: 00085

... worldwide. AFA clubs will also have the option to become independent. Combined services will include **auctions**, exchange ads, merchandise sales, meetings, **awards**, slide programs, **translation** service and advance bulletin service. In addition to the two journals, the newly merged society...

2/3,K/8 (Item 1 from file: 50)
DIALOG(R)File 50:CAB Abstracts
(c) 2001 CAB International. All rts. reserv.

03077742 CAB Accession Number: 951807593

Restructuring agricultural cooperatives in the course of land ownership privatization in Hungary.

Schaefer-Kehnert, W.

Transforming agriculture and agro-industry: policies, concepts and cases from Central and Eastern Europe.

Additional Authors: Germany, Gesellschaft fur Agrarprojekte

p.143-158

Publication Year: 1995

Publisher: Wissenschaftsverlag Vauk Kiel KG -- Kiel, Germany

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

ISBN: 3-8175-0212-5
Language: English
Document Type: Miscellaneous

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... be identified if cooperative farm members wanted to take out their share. For outsiders land points were converted into cash at a rate decided by their market value at auction. Other cooperative assets were distributed among members at rates dependent on their number of years...

2/3,K/9 (Item 1 from file: 75)
DIALOG(R)File 75:TGG Management Contents(R)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

00123101 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 06218276 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULL TEXT)
Stock markets attract international interest. (Brazil's stock markets)
(Global Debt: the Equity Solution)
Hieronymous, Bill
Euromoney, pSUP60(2)
Jan, 1988
ISSN: 0014-2433 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 899 LINE COUNT: 00083

... asked not to be identified, said it plans to go forward with its proposal to convert bank debt into stock market purchases immediately after the Brazilian Central Bank clarifies two points. One is the functioning of the auctions which will be used to set the discount on the US\$23 billion of matured...

2/3,K/10 (Item 2 from file: 75)
DIALOG(R)File 75:TGG Management Contents(R)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

00116104 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 06054058 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULL TEXT)
Brazil plans for state auctions. (Special Report: The Birth of a New Market)
Ashford, Moyra
Euromoney, p93(2)
Sept, 1987
ISSN: 0014-2433 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 961 LINE COUNT: 00091

... bank, explained to Euromoney: "The object of the Brazilian Government is to draw up a conversion programme which stimulates investment, but which avoids cowboys."

He detailed the points of the programme.

1 Monthly auctions of discounted debt, within monthly ceilings fixed in accordance with the public sector borrowing requirement...

2/3,K/11 (Item 1 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
(c)2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

11461731 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 57012303 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
L.A. TEXTILE SHOW GETS OFF TO STEADY START; NEW FABRICS FROM SAXON AND MAJESTIC SPARK BUYER INTEREST IN MEN'S WEAR ARENA.
Courtay, Romy de
Daily News Record, 6
Oct 27, 1999
ISSN: 1041-1119 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

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WORD COUNT: 946 LINE COUNT: 00077

... opening-night gala on Thursday, Dec. 2, which will feature a sit-down dinner and awards presentation and a live fantasy auction offering such goodies as a new 2000 Mercedes convertible with a VIP tour of the Mercedes-Benz plant and lunch with the brand's...

2/3,K/12 (Item 2 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
(c)2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

10049596 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20322168 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
FCC urged not to auction ITFS licenses involving noncommercial applicants.
(public broadcasters, Instructional TV Fixed Service)
Communications Daily, v18, n33, p3(2)
Feb 19, 1998
ISSN: 0277-0679 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 723 LINE COUNT: 00065

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2/3,K/13 (Item 3 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
(c)2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

06785520 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 14722647 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Surge in embedded derivative volume parallels that of new issues.
Pressman, Aaron
Bond Buyer, v306, n29300, p6(2)
Dec 15, 1993
ISSN: 0732-0469 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 655 LINE COUNT: 00051

... paper," said Aaron Gurwitz, head of municipal capital markets of Goldman. "Historically, the spread of auction -rate [floaters] versus New York dailies has been about 70 basis points."

The lower yield on the floating-rate side should translate into a higher yield for the inverse floating side, according to Richard Kolman, manager of...

2/3,K/14 (Item 1 from file: 277)
DIALOG(R)File 277:ONTAP(R) Investext(R)
(c) 1992 Thomson Financial Networks. All rts. reserv.

00042329
Redland - Company Report
UBS PHILLIPS & DREW GLOBAL RESEARCH GROUP
Nazir, K., et al
UNITED KINGDOM

DATE: March 26, 91
INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 1110938, PAGE 2 OF 6, TEXT/TABLE PAGE
This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...100m in

March 1990 is perpetual, non-redeemable (except by Redland) with dividends by an **auction** process, with costs approximately 100 basis **points** net over short term borrowings. Since the issue is non- **convertible** , there is no dilution of shares. The 7 1/4% (L)60m convertible bond (540p...

2/3,K/15 (Item 1 from file: 476)

DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext
(c) 2001 Financial Times Ltd. All rts. reserv.

0009069187 BOHIDAGAB2FT

News: The Americas: Interest rates falling: News Digest
DANIEL DOMBEY

Financial Times, London Edition 1 ED, P 4

Thursday, September 4, 1997

DOCUMENT TYPE: Digests; NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE:

FULLTEXT

Word Count: 123

...fallen to their lowest level since the peso crisis of 1994-1995. At a weekly **auction** , bellwether 28-day government paper fell by more than 2 percentage **points** to 17.52 per cent, a level which **translates** to about 1.6 per cent when expected inflation is taken into account.

Markets have...

2/3,K/16 (Item 2 from file: 476)

DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext
(c) 2001 Financial Times Ltd. All rts. reserv.

0007505295 BOEFFDAAA1FT

Czechs alerted by investment deadline: Vincent Boland assesses the latest twist in an eastern European privatisation

VINCENT BOLAND

Financial Times, P 5

Monday, June 6, 1994

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

Word Count: 752

...the Czechs have developed a complex system in which each investor starts off with 1000 **points** . These **points** are then **converted** into shares through a series of closed national **auctions** at bids which are matched with the shares available. If a particular share is over...

2/3,K/17 (Item 3 from file: 476)

DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext
(c) 2001 Financial Times Ltd. All rts. reserv.

0006542676 BOCJ1BTAETFT

International Capital Markets: BT to convert Pounds 1.69bn loan stock into Eurobonds

BRIAN BOLLEN

Financial Times, P 29

Wednesday, October 28, 1992

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

Word Count: 227

Baring Brothers and the Treasury first announced the **auction** of BT and electricity sector debt in August. The BT debt to be **converted** into

Eurobonds carries **coupons** of 12 1/4 to 12 1/2 per cent and matures between 1997 and...

2/3,K/18 (Item 4 from file: 476)
DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext
(c) 2001 Financial Times Ltd. All rts. reserv.

0004517855 B08C2B7ABWFT
Brazil A Convert To Conversion: A Change Of Heart Towards Debt To Equity Deals
JOHN BARHAM
Financial Times, P 32
Tuesday, March 29, 1988
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
Word Count: 995

...will wait to see how large the discounts are before committing larger sums to future **auctions** .

One banker, although in favour of **conversion** , has some doubts. He **points** out that equity investments are riskier than their hard currency deposits at the central bank...

2/3,K/19 (Item 5 from file: 476)
DIALOG(R)File 476:Financial Times Fulltext
(c) 2001 Financial Times Ltd. All rts. reserv.

0003534552 B06LVBWAC7FT
Arts: A Boom Of An Autumn / Saleroom report
ANTONY THORNCROFT
Financial Times, P 21
Friday, December 19, 1986
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
Word Count: 476

...Its greatest achievement was a Manet which made 7.7 m pounds sterling. As it **points** out, **converted** to dollars this is the most expensive picture ever sold at **auction** . But all mention of records is a nonsense, so bedevilled is the situation by currency...
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2/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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01634566

Do I Hear 400,000 Miles? For Frequent Fliers, New Ways to Splurge
(Frequent-flier miles are being exchanged for various awards from airlines,
besides free travel)

New York Times , v CXLVI, n 50,593, p 9
October 27, 1996

DOCUMENT TYPE: National Newspaper ISSN: 0362-4331 (United States)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Abstract

ABSTRACT:

Frequent-flier miles are being exchanged for various awards from
airlines, besides free travel. For example, at a Sotheby's auction called
Dream Perks in 9/96, Northwest Airlines offered fantasy trips in exchange
for frequent...

2/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 9)
DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)
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01290906 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Ukraine to sell stake in electricity firms
(Ukraine to sell off 15% shr of its electricity utilities by end-1995;
eventually 49% of shrs in 6 thermal & hydroelectric firms will be sold)

East European Energy Report, n 48, p 18
September 22, 1995
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newsletter ISSN: 0965-3503 (United Kingdom)
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 331

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...Eventually 49% of the shares in six thermal and hydroelectric corporations will be sold at **auction** in **exchange** for privatisation **certificates**, which are being distributed to all Ukrainians, he said. Some 51% of the shares will...

2/3,K/3 (Item 1 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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01547545 01-98533
The world's cheapest exchange
Anonymous
Institutional Investor v31n11 PP: 72 Nov 1997
ISSN: 0020-3580 JRNL CODE: IL
WORD COUNT: 409

...TEXT: 29.9 basis points in 1996, the lowest in the world. The New York Stock **Exchange** - the granddaddy of **auction** systems - cost, on average, 34.1 basis **points**.

Market impact, the tendency for prices to change on the day of an order's ...

2/3,K/4 (Item 2 from file: 15)
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01276955 99-26351
Auction format matters: Evidence on bidding behavior and seller revenue
Feldman, Robert A; Reinhart, Vincent
International Monetary Fund Staff Papers v43n2 PP: 395-418 Jun 1996
ISSN: 0020-8027 JRNL CODE: IMF
WORD COUNT: 6489

...TEXT: first ten or at all discriminatory-price auctions." More aggressive bidding in the uniform-price **auctions**, of course, need not **translate** into higher revenue for the seller, because **awards** are made at one market-clearing price. The last column of the table presents revenue ...

2/3,K/5 (Item 3 from file: 15)
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01168448 98-17843
Emerging securities markets - Croatia
Hajaj, Claire; Hawkins, Paula; Porter, Edward; Wright, Rupert
Central European Guide to Emerging Securities Markets PP: 4 Oct 1995
ISSN: 0962-2543 JRNL CODE: CEE
WORD COUNT: 879

...TEXT: for sale. In 1994, Dm19m worth of shares were sold for cash and Dm393m for **certificates** of frozen foreign currency deposits through ZSE **auctions**.

All foreign **exchange** deposits in Croatia's banks were frozen by the National Bank of Yugoslavia shortly before...

2/3,K/6 (Item 4 from file: 15)
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01095703 97-45097

Refiners participate in historic pollution-credit trading market

Anonymous

NPN: National Petroleum News v87n10 PP: 18 Sep 1995

ISSN: 0149-5267 JRNL CODE: NPN

WORD COUNT: 488

...TEXT: than one million instruments in a single session, shattering the old record of 615,871 **credits** **exchanged** in the Cantor Fitzgerald brokered **auction**, based in Los Angeles, in January 1995.

Praising the new market, Arun Naik of CalResources...

2/3,K/7 (Item 5 from file: 15)
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01055689 97-05083

Internet-based exchange holds an auction this week

Lux, Hal

Investment Dealers Digest v61n28 PP: 6 Jul 10, 1995

ISSN: 0021-0080 JRNL CODE: IDD

WORD COUNT: 260

ABSTRACT: The Automated Environmental Credit **Exchange** (ACE), which holds quarterly **auctions** for pollution **credits** issued by government authorities to utilities, will hold an Internet-based trading session this week...

...TEXT: this week amid signs of a dramatic jump in its business.

The Automated Environmental Credit **Exchange** (ACE) holds quarterly **auctions** for pollution **credits** issued by government authorities to utilities. ACE is the first **exchange** to send trades through the Internet.

The Internet system seems to be catching on with some users. While only 285,000 **credits** were registered with the **exchange** for the first **auction** in April, about eight million **credits** were registered by last week. Utilities must register the **credits** before the **auction** if they have any intention of entering buy or sell orders during the auction session...

2/3,K/8 (Item 6 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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01041291 96-90684

Alternative trading systems are gobbling market share

Lux, Hal

Investment Dealers Digest Anniversary Supplement PP: 106 May 22, 1995

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ISSN: 0021-0080 JRNL CODE: IDD
WORD COUNT: 394

...TEXT: equities. A California professor recently launched a trading system on the Internet, Automated Environmental Credit **Exchange**, to trade so called "pollution **credits**" through a proprietary single price **auction** market. The system, which clears through the Pacific Stock **Exchange**, traded 47,000 **credits** in its first crossing session last month.

Once these initial systems find their legs, traditional...

2/3,K/9 (Item 7 from file: 15)
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00815611 94-65003
The Portuguese bond market
Cardoso, Pedro; Falkenberg, Isabel
Global Investor n6 (Guide to Investment in Portugal) PP: 26-40 Dec 1993/Jan 1994
ISSN: 0951-3604 JRNL CODE: GLI
WORD COUNT: 3314

...TEXT: prices is usually 50 basis points, though spreads are normally around 20 to 25 basis **points**.

OTs can be traded on the stock **exchange** 15 days after the **auction** on a straight or repo basis. The repo market is still emerging and current legal ...

2/3,K/10 (Item 8 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00767766 94-17158
Hungary
Anonymous
Euromoney World Domestic Bond Markets Supplement PP: 23-26 Sep 1993
ISSN: 0014-2433 JRNL CODE: ERM
WORD COUNT: 2294

...TEXT: and the 360-day bills auctioned quarterly. Only commercial banks, specialized financial institutions and stock **exchange** brokerage firms can participate in the **auctions**. The NBH **credits** the custody accounts run by the NBH with the allotted T-bills one day after...

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06587302 Supplier Number: 55550437 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
****Iridium Stock Sale Removed From eBay - Update 08/23/99 >BY Bob Woods.
Newsbytes PM, pNA
August 23, 1999
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 764

... between buyer and seller, he said.

Before these cases, though, eBay users previously tried to auction off their current stock certificates "only in rare circumstances," Pursglove added.

Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) spokesperson John Heine told Newsbytes that his agency could not comment on whether...

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06547585 Supplier Number: 55384871 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
MainXchange.com Raises \$6 Million in Private Placement.
PR Newswire, p7941
August 9, 1999
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 664

... added content including a virtual stock market game (where users trade stocks using buX), online auctions (where Xstars, MainXchange.com's loyalty points, can be exchanged for prizes or used as currency in the auction), chats, contests, and great prizes from the site's sponsors, including air travel, a trip...

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05485032 Supplier Number: 48310764 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
ITFS AUCTIONS OPPOSED
Television Digest, v38, n8, pN/A
Feb 23, 1998
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 439

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05315355 Supplier Number: 48090428 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Trade secrets, Part 2
Willoughby, Jack
Institutional Investor, p69
Nov, 1997
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1404

... 29.9 basis points in 1996, the lowest in the world. The New York Stock **Exchange** -- the granddaddy of **auction** systems -- cost, on average, 34.1 basis **points**. Market impact, the tendency for prices to change on the day of an order's...

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02424402 Supplier Number: 43192342 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
BOLIVIA
LatinFinance, p102
August, 1992
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 991

... or to close a company, CEPP will make the corresponding transfer either through public bidding, **auctions**, open bids or the sale of shares at the stock **exchange** and enact pre- **awards** and enter contracts after due approval by CONEPLAN. Likewise, it is in charge of processing...

2/3,K/17 (Item 7 from file: 16)
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02330612 Supplier Number: 43054578 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Results of first round of export quota auctions
Finance East Europe, pN/A
June 4, 1992
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 297

... and these will be adjusted for the next series of auctions...
At the Moscow Commodity **Exchange** (MTB) and the Russian Commodity and Raw Materials **Exchange** (RTSB), **auctions** of **certificates** for the export of carbamide, in quotas of 5000 tonnes, were in the most demand...

2/3,K/18 (Item 8 from file: 16)
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02201945 Supplier Number: 42867462
Russia: a regulation on the export quotes certificates issue and sale was

adopted.

Kommersant, p1

March 30, 1992

Language: Russian; NONENGLISH Record Type: Abstract

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...of the Foreign Economic Relations (MVES), on March 25, 1992. It defines that the export **certificates** could be bought at commodity **exchanges**, **auctions**, and tenders by any residents independently on the form of property ownership. The possibility of...

2/3,K/19 (Item 9 from file: 16)

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02130056 Supplier Number: 42763691

Russia: Prices of shares of commercial banks continue to grow.

Delovoi Mir, p3

Feb 19, 1992

Language: Russian; NONENGLISH Record Type: Abstract

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...of joint stock companies such as the Rinako company and the Kaliningradskaya Commodity and Stock **Exchange** (KTFB). Interest rates at credit **auctions** provided by the MMFB **exchange** seem reached a ceiling. **Credits** for Rb10 mil, Rb20 mil and Rb30 mil with 6 month term of payment were...

2/3,K/20 (Item 10 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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02016513 Supplier Number: 42590412

RSFSR: The highest demand was shown for shares of banks and to much less extent for shares of exchanges.

Delovoi Mir, p8

Dec 12, 1991

Language: Russian; NONENGLISH Record Type: Abstract

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...demand was shown for shares of banks and to much less extent for shares of **exchanges**. The MMFB **exchange** arranges also credit **auctions** and trade sessions with foreign currency. At the last **auction** two Rb20 mil **credits** for 4 months were offered and interest rates for this **credits** were risen from initial 19.5% to 22.25-22.35% and interest rate for...

2/3,K/21 (Item 11 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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01460853 Supplier Number: 41762477

USSR: first credit resources auction was held at Kazakhstan Securities **Exchange**.

Ekonomika & Zhizn', p3

Number 49, 1991

Language: Russian; NONENGLISH Record Type: Abstract

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

Soviet Union: first credit resources **auction** was held at KFB, Kazakhstan Securities **Exchange** , Rb15.5 mil **credits** were sold of Rb16.4 mil offered. Demand and supply ratio was 50 to 1...

2/3,K/22 (Item 1 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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08701933
SPF PUTS UP 10% OF SHARES OF ALCHEVSK METALLURGICAL MILL FOR BIDDING ON
INTERFAX
November 30, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 285

...and 15% - in commercial tenders. 5% of shares will be put up on the stock **exchange** . 10% of the shares have been sold in **auctions** for privatization property **certificates** . The company holds a monopoly on the Ukrainian market of stainless steel plates, special-purpose...

2/3,K/23 (Item 2 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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08701922
KRYMENERGO COMPANY SETS UP TWO SUBSIDIARIES
INTERFAX
November 30, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 470

... shares have been sold by privileged subscription, 35% - in commercial tenders for cash, 3% - in **auctions** for privatization property **certificates** and 17.18% - through the stock **exchange** . 1.81% of the shares will be shortly put up in tenders on the Ukrainian...

2/3,K/24 (Item 3 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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08613644 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
NBU ACCOMMODATES CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT WORTH UAH 135 MILLION
INTERFAX
November 23, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1047

... Thursday, the NBU has been selling government domestic loan bonds through the Ukrainian Interbank Currency **Exchange** . On Tuesday, November 16, the National Bank of Ukraine accommodated **certificates** of deposit worth UAH 24 million during the 65th, 66th and 67th **auctions** . **Certificates** of deposit worth UAH 51 million were accommodated on Wednesday, November 17, Interfax-Ukraine has...

2/3,K/25 (Item 4 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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08601356

RIVNEAZOT SHARES TRANSFERRED TO STATE

EASTERN ECONOMIST DAILY

December 07, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WEET LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 135

... be sold for priveleged pre-payment terms, 17.9% have been sold on the certificate auction for privatization certificates , 13.8% have been sold on the stock exchange , while the state has secured 25% of the shares. The authorized capital of the enterprise...

2/3,K/26 (Item 5 from file: 20)

DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter

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08586004

Gold loses shine as offshore price slips

ABIX - AUSTRALASIAN BUSINESS INTELLIGENCE (ADVERTISER) , p28

December 07, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WTAD LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: ABSTRACT

WORD COUNT: 68

... successive fall, after disappointing results from the Bank of England's third 25-tonne gold auction . The Australian Stock Exchange 's Gold Index fell nearly 25- points to a close of 927.

2/3,K/27 (Item 6 from file: 20)

DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter

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08406258

SPF WILL SELL STAKE IN LINOS OIL REFINERY

EASTERN ECONOMIST DAILY

November 26, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WEET LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 133

...by Dec.1. At present, a 19.04% stake in LINOS has been sold via auctions for privatization property certificates and a 3.59% for cash via the stock exchange . 9.96% of shares was sold on privileged terms. The state retained a 50% stake...

2/3,K/28 (Item 7 from file: 20)

DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter

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08381079 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

NOVOSTI FINANCIAL INFORMATION SERVICE SUMS UP DAY

RUSSIAN ECONOMIC NEWS

November 24, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WREN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 293

...an expected pause after yesterday's upward leap vs. the rouble. The Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange opened its unified auction session this morning 3 to 4 points below yesterday's fixed rate, though the rates were stubbornly striving up throughout the session...

2/3,K/29 (Item 8 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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08235493 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Markets yawn off first-round vote
Alex Berdnick Post Staff Writer
KYIV POST
November 04, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WKYI LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 428

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... among the commercial banks, NBU deputy director Oleksandr Kireiev said. The NBU floated five day **certificates** with a Nov. 1 maturity, and held the **auction** to support the hryvna **exchange** rate, Ukrainian News reported.

Natalia Hrebenyk, director of the NBU Credit and Emission Department, told...

2/3,K/30 (Item 9 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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07744915 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
HONG KONG, October 14 (XinhuaDepartment sold two government lots for a total odollars (90.5 million US dollars) at a public auction Thurafternoon.
XINHUA (COMTEX)
October 14, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WXIN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 388

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... to go.
Analysts said that the land developers are cautious but active as the land **auction** wursday rose by 42.40 **points** on the Bombay Stock **Exchange** after as seen as a brief mild reaction. key test for the health of the...

2/3,K/31 (Item 10 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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07473409
RUSSIAN SLAVNEFT WILL TAKE WEST-UKRAINIAN OIL REFINERY INTO INTERFAX
September 14, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 691

... are to be sold by privileged subscription, 35% - in commercial tenders for cash, 3% - at **auctions** for privatization property **certificates** and 18.48% - through the stock **exchange** . Krymenergo's statutory company is UAH 43,241,880, with the face value of one...

2/3,K/32 (Item 11 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter

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07462002 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

***Rolling settlement - Relegating carryforward**

SECTION TITLE: STOCK MARKETS

Abhishek Bhuwalka

FINANCIAL EXPRESS

September 28, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WFEX LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 1322

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... is technically possible with physical certificates, the infrastructure required is not forthcoming. At the stock exchange level, rolling settlement with physical certificates would involve daily pay-in, pay-out, daily auction, withdrawal, and deposits of scrips. Further, all settlements including for short delivery, delivery objections, etc...

2/3,K/33 (Item 12 from file: 20)

DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter

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06860537 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Iridium Stock Sale Removed From eBay - Update

NEWSBYTES

August 23, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: FNEW LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 753

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... between buyer and seller, he said.

Before these cases, though, eBay users previously tried to auction off their current stock certificates "only in rare circumstances," Pursglove added.

Securities and Exchange Commission (SEC) spokesperson John Heine told Newsbytes that his agency could not comment on whether...

2/3,K/34 (Item 13 from file: 20)

DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter

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06858049 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

International Monetary Fund suggests ending of money whitener schemes

JAWED MAHMOOD

BUSINESS RECORDER

August 24, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WBRE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 349

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... in tax revenue. These schemes include amnesty for the foreign currency accounts, purchase of foreign exchange bearer certificates (FEBC), purchasing of government property through auction by the Privatisation Commission and the Pakistan Railways.

"How would the revenue receipts be enhanced..."

2/3,K/35 (Item 14 from file: 20)

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06848365 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Procedure for textile quota auction

From Our Correspondent

NATION (PAKISTAN)

August 21, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WTNP LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 286

... the garment manufacturing units located in export processing zones shall be eligible to participate in **auction** of quotas. The premium shall be paid against foreign **exchange** encashment **certificates**. The exporters will submit their bids for the **auction** in sealed covers indication the **auction** price for each textile quota product/category. These would be deposited the sealed bid boxes...

2/3,K/36 (Item 15 from file: 20)

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06830907 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Textile quota auction on 26th: procedure announced

RECORDER REPORT

BUSINESS RECORDER

August 21, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WBRE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 273

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... garment manufacturing units located in export processing zones shall be eligible to participate in quota **auction**. The premium shall be paid against foreign **exchange** encashment **certificates**.

The exporters will submit their bids for the **auction** in sealed covers indication the **auction** price for each textile quota product/category. These would be deposited in the sealed bid...

2/3,K/37 (Item 16 from file: 20)

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06281853 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

26% OF CHERNIHIV RADIO APPLIANCES FACTORY'S SHARES SEALED IN STATE

INTERFAX

July 05, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 219

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... shares, 12.81% of the shares have been sold on privil
subscription, 12.82% - at **auctions** for privatization prope
certificates, 29.27% - at specialized **auctions** for
compensat

certificates, 20% of the shares have been sold on stock **exchanges**.
The statutory fund of the Chernihiv-based JSC is UAH 971,049.75, the face
...

2/3,K/38 (Item 17 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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05751228 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
SPF WILL SELL 26% OF CHERVONA ZIRKA COMPANY'S SHARES ON STOCK
INTERFAX
June 01, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 216

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

10.49% of the shares have been sold at certificate auctions
privatization property certificates , 27.35% - for compensat

certificates , 8% - on the stock exchange . The company is able to
manufacture 70 thousand sowing machines annually. In 1998, the company...

2/3,K/39 (Item 18 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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05603057
CHERNIHIV-BASED KHMIVOLOKNO'S PROFIT MADE UAH 1.317 MILLION IN THE
INTERFAX
May 20, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 303

... 12.04% of the shares were sold on privilege subscription, 33.84% -
at a certificate auction for privatization property certificates , 4.13%
- at the stock exchange . The company's major shareholders are the
Ukrainian New Initiatives Investment Fund, the Import-Export...

2/3,K/40 (Item 19 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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05041817 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
UKRAINE TO TENDER 50% STAKE IN TIREMAKER VALSA
INTERFAX
April 16, 1999
JOURNAL CODE: WIRA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 152

... has already sold 0.79% of Valsa shares on preferential terms,
34.36% at certificate auctions , 14.83% at specialized cash auction for
compensation certificates , and 0.02% on the stock exchange , a Fund
official told Interfax.

2/3,K/41 (Item 20 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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04574316 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Auction Universe and Hollywood Stock Exchange Celebrate the Academy
Awards With a Star-Studded Online Auction Event
BUSINESS WIRE

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

March 09, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WBWE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1326

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Auction **Universe and Hollywood Stock Exchange Celebrate the Academy Awards With a Star-Studded Online Auction Event**

... the pioneer in providing secure online auctions today announced it is joining the Hollywood Stock **Exchange** (www.hsx.com) in hosting the first annual Academy **Awards (R) charity auction** and Webcast. The online **auction** will launch Wednesday, March 10 and run until the night of the Academy **Awards**, Sunday, March 21st. The **auction** will close during a live event at the famed House of Blues on Sunset Boulevard...

2/3,K/42 (Item 21 from file: 20)

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04270692 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

First textile quota auction under new quota policy on Monday

RECORDER REPORT

BUSINESS RECORDER

February 09, 1999

JOURNAL CODE: WBRE LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 391

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... and garment manufacturing units located in Export Processing Zone shall be eligible to participate in **auction** of quotas. The premium in such **auction** shall be paid against foreign **exchange** encashment **certificates**.

2/3,K/43 (Item 22 from file: 20)

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04093946

MOTORSICH'S ALLOCATION PLAN CHANGED

EASTERN ECONOMIST DAILY

August 12, 1998

JOURNAL CODE: WEET LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 155

...the year's end. The SPF will sell 25% of the plant in **certif icate auctions** for compensation **certificates** and 1% will be offered on the stock **exchange**. Its statutory fund is Hr 2.181mn. Each of Motorsich's 2.077mn shares has...

2/3,K/44 (Item 23 from file: 20)

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03564667

SET Up on Speculative Buying

BUSINESS DAY (THAILAND)

November 26, 1998

JOURNAL CODE: FBDY LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 322

...said. "They are more flexible in handling portfolios here after the postponement of the FRA auction," Phadoempop said. The Stock Exchange of Thailand (SET) composite index gained 7.35 points to close at 391.01 points, while the SET 50 index added 0.51 point...

2/3,K/45 (Item 24 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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03525391

IN DECEMBER THE TIME OF THE MORTGAGE OF THE SHARES OF ENTERPRISES FOR THE
CREDIT TO THE BUDGET EXPIRES
RUSSIAN BUSINESS MONITOR , 106 ed, p9
November 20, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WRBM LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 256

... time, for which the Russian government mortgaged the shares of 12 largest Russian enterprises in exchange for credits to the budget in 1995, expires in December. Overall, the mortgage auctions earned more than \$1 billion for the federal budget in 1995. Representatives of the State...

2/3,K/46 (Item 25 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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03223918 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
LEAVES FALL, THE DOLLAR RISES
WHAT THE PAPERS SAY , 192 ed, p4
October 07, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WWTP LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 511

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... held remain in force.

Irina Yasina, Candidate of Economics: The new plan to hold currency auctions at the MICE will hardly stop the ruble's decline. The rate in the points of the currency exchange will increase more rapidly than at the special auctions, since the currency exchange points are not listed among the needs for which banks are permitted to buy currency at...

2/3,K/47 (Item 26 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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03091596

Allocation plan changed
EASTERN ECONOMIST DAILY
October 09, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WEET LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 153

... by the year's end. The SPF will sell 25% of the plant in certificate auctions for compensation certificates and 1% will be offered on the stock exchange. Its statutory fund is Hr 2.181mn. Each of Motorsich's 2.077mn shares has...

2/3,K/48 (Item 27 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02673696 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Croatia: second round of voucher privatization completed
BBC MONITORING SERVICE
August 31, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WBMS LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 343

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... privatization are 226,000 Homeland war victims who were given vouchers, worth 1.7bn investment **points**. These vouchers are **exchanged** at **auctions** independently or through privatization investment funds for shares of about 500 companies, with the overall...

2/3,K/49 (Item 28 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02229943 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
NOVOSTI FINANCIAL INFORMATION SERVICE SUMS UP
RUSSIAN ECONOMIC NEWS
July 16, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WREN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 383

... but began sliding back by noon--largely thanks to the day's Moscow Interbank Currency **Exchange auction**, where the upward trend was very weak, and the dollar came a mere 8 **points** up to R6.198 due to forward contract cancellations.

The **auction** over, dealers rushed to make money on the exchange-interbank rate scissors, and promptly dropped...

2/3,K/50 (Item 29 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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02173976 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
NOVOSTI FINANCIAL INFORMATION SERVICE ON THURSDAY
RUSSIAN ECONOMIC NEWS
July 10, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WREN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 299

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... the world currency markets--in particular, to DM1.82. The mark, naturally, plummeted by 15 **points** at the Moscow Interbank Currency **Exchange auction** to R3.42.

The Federation Council approved a bill to double the taxation of rouble...

2/3,K/51 (Item 30 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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01882868 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
NOVOSTI FINANCIAL INFORMATION SERVICE SUMS UP TUESDAY
RUSSIAN ECONOMIC NEWS
June 03, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WREN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 364

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

... in the morning to carry the trend into the day. Yesterday's Moscow Interbank Currency Exchange auction raised the rate 6 points to R6.178--and 6.185 in the interbank market by noon. Official rates retained ...

2/3,K/52 (Item 31 from file: 20)
DIALOG(R)File 20:Dialog Global Reporter
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01882513 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
FINANCIAL ROUNDUP FOR THURSDAY
RUSSIAN ECONOMIC NEWS
June 05, 1998
JOURNAL CODE: WREN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 371

... dollar rose in all sectors, fuelled by an inflow of surplus funds from Wednesday's auctions. On the Moscow Currency Exchange, the American dollar gained 19 points to reach 6.17 rubles per dollar. Inter-bank quotations reached 6 rubles 17.5...

2/3,K/53 (Item 1 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)
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04501741 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 18268200 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Selling air pollution.
Doherty, brian
Reason, v28, n1, p32(6)
May, 1996
ISSN: 0048-6906 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 4861 LINE COUNT: 00385

... down the apparent price of the allowances.
One problem is the set-up of the auction where the EPA offers new credits for sale and lets utilities sell allowances to each other. The auction isn't like the familiar New York Stock Exchange, where all trades occur at one market-clearing price.
In the EPA auction, every buyer...

2/3,K/54 (Item 2 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale group. All rts. reserv.

04160589 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 16388616 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
AAMS and AFA to merge; pending member approval. (American Air Mail Society; Aerophilatelic Federation of the Americas)
Stamps, v249, n3, p22(1)
Oct 15, 1994
ISSN: 0038-9358 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT; ABSTRACT
WORD COUNT: 1049 LINE COUNT: 00085

... worldwide. AFA clubs will also have the option to become independent. Combined services will include **auctions**, **exchange** ads, merchandise sales, meetings, **awards**, slide programs, **translation** service and advance bulletin service. In addition to the two journals, the newly merged society...

2/3,K/55 (Item 3 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)
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02866875 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 04293713 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Trading dollars for dirty air. (buying emission reduction credits)
Rapoport, Roger
Science'86, v7, p75(2)
July-Aug, 1986
ISSN: 0193-4511 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1480 LINE COUNT: 00113

... and even to hazardous waste and radioactive garbage to become an over-the-counter polluters' **exchange**. "Already," says Margolis, "people are going to plant **auctions** specifically to shop for emission **credits** ." In a free market, there's no limit to what people will buy.

2/3,K/56 (Item 1 from file: 50)
DIALOG(R)File 50:CAB Abstracts
(c) 2001 CAB International. All rts. reserv.

03077742 CAB Accession Number: 951807593
Restructuring agricultural cooperatives in the course of land ownership privatization in Hungary.
Schaefer-Kehnert, W.
Transforming agriculture and agro-industry: policies, concepts and cases from Central and Eastern Europe.
Additional Authors: Germany, Gesellschaft fur Agrarprojekte
p.143-158
Publication Year: 1995
Publisher: Wissenschaftsverlag Vauk Kiel KG -- Kiel, Germany
ISBN: 3-8175-0212-5
Language: English
Document Type: Miscellaneous

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... be identified if cooperative farm members wanted to take out their share. For outsiders land **points** were **converted** into cash at a rate decided by their market value at **auction**. Other cooperative assets were distributed among members at rates dependent on their number of years...

2/3,K/57 (Item 1 from file: 75)
DIALOG(R)File 75:TGG Management Contents(R)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

00205492 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20038545 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULL TEXT)
Trade secrets: as investors go global, the need to plumb the mystery of execution costs grows ever larger. Here we take a look at one cost analysis - and the methodology behind it. (includes related article on The Paris Bourse)
Willoughby, Jack
Institutional Investor, v31, n11, p69(7)
Nov, 1997

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

ISSN: 0020-3580 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 3673 LINE COUNT: 00355

... 29.9 basis points in 1996, the lowest in the world. The New York Stock Exchange -- the granddaddy of auction systems -- cost, on average, 34.1 basis points. Market impact, the tendency for prices to change on the day of an order's...

2/3,K/58 (Item 2 from file: 75)
DIALOG(R)File 75:TGG Management Contents(R)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

00130918 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 07757762 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULL TEXT)
Losses grow as payrolls blossom. (cost of Brazil's public sector) (Brazil:
A Private Boom)
Euromoney, pB22(3)
Sept, 1989
ISSN: 0014-2433 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 2127 LINE COUNT: 00173

... projects -- in terms of the public sector it could be just like 1988's debt conversion auctions for the private sector."
Brazil's future access to foreign credits depends on winning the IMF's approval -- and that means closing the public sector borrowing...

2/3,K/59 (Item 1 from file: 86)
DIALOG(R)File 86:Mental Health Abstracts
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0248785
TAI1977-11072
Integration of a low-resource token economy with other treatment modalities.
Sappington, A. A.
Department of Psychology, University College, University of Alabama, Birmingham, AL 35294
Professional Psychology 7(4):602-608, 1976.
Languages: English

2/3,K/60 (Item 1 from file: 141)
DIALOG(R)File 141:Readers Guide
(c) 2001 The HW Wilson Co. All rts. reserv.

03301447 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BRGA96051447 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Selling air pollution.
Doherty, Brian.
Reason (Reason) v. 28 (May '96) p. 32-7
WORD COUNT: 4801

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

... down the apparent price of the allowances.
One problem is the set-up of the auction where the EPA offers new credits for sale and lets utilities sell allowances to each other. The auction isn't like the familiar New York Stock Exchange, where all trades occur at one market-clearing price.

In the EPA auction, every buyer...

2/3,K/61 (Item 2 from file: 141)
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02559388 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BRGA93059388
Shifting back to Communist era, Ukraine bars hard currency sale.
New York Times (Late New York Edition) (N Y Times (Late N Y Ed)) (Nov. 4
'93) p. A6

...ABSTRACT: president Leonid M. Kravchuk decreed strict currency controls today, shutting down the Kiev Interbank Currency **Exchange auction** and other money **exchange points** across the country. This decree, along with a prior one that reinstated the state order...

2/3,K/62 (Item 1 from file: 146)
DIALOG(R)File 146:Washington Post Online
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4295931
Swap Party of a Different Sort
The Washington Post, December 09, 1999, L Edition
By: By Nicole Lewis, Washington Post Staff Writer
Section: STYLE, p. C04
Line Count: 63 Word Count: 699

... looked forlornly at his copy of Alanis Morissette's new CD, which he tried to **auction** off at many **points** during the **exchange**.

Here's how it works: At some point in the party everyone receives a number...

2/3,K/63 (Item 2 from file: 146)
DIALOG(R)File 146:Washington Post Online
(c) 2001 Washington Post. All rts. reserv.

235703
Brazil Auctions Off Part of Foreign Debt
The Washington Post, March 31, 1988,
By: Mac Margolis, Special to The Washington Post
Section: Financial, p. b03
Line Count: 62 Word Count: 692

...hundred brokers representing investors and creditors traded \$150 million of Brazil's dollar debt for **credits** in cruzados, the national currency.

The winners in the debt **auction** were those bidders who offered the highest discount in **converting** their **credits** in strong currency into local credits. After several hours of brisk trading, the discount climbed ...

2/3,K/64 (Item 1 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
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11461731 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 57012303 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
L.A. TEXTILE SHOW GETS OFF TO STEADY START; NEW FABRICS FROM SAXON AND MAJESTIC SPARK BUYER INTEREST IN MEN'S WEAR ARENA.
Courtay, Romy de
Daily News Record, 6

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Oct 27, 1999

ISSN: 1041-1119

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 946

LINE COUNT: 00077

... opening-night gala on Thursday, Dec. 2, which will feature a sit-down dinner and awards presentation and a live fantasy auction offering such goodies as a new 2000 Mercedes convertible with a VIP tour of the Mercedes-Benz plant and lunch with the brand's...

2/3,K/65 (Item 2 from file: 148)

DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB

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10049596 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20322168 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

FCC urged not to auction ITFS licenses involving noncommercial applicants.

(public broadcasters, Instructional TV Fixed Service)

Communications Daily, v18, n33, p3(2)

Feb 19, 1998

ISSN: 0277-0679

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 723

LINE COUNT: 00065

... public broadcasting stations "uniformly reported that they lack the substantial resources necessary to compete in auctions for broadcast licenses." Other points : (1) Commission shouldn't revise rules to permit FM translators to interfere with full-service FM stations, even if upgrade makes them more attractive to...

2/3,K/66 (Item 3 from file: 148)

DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB

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09882009 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20012488 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

Catholic Health Initiatives Bonds Rated by S&P; Outlook Positive

PR Newswire, p1121NYF100

Nov 21, 1997

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 571

LINE COUNT: 00071

... corporate purposes. All bonds will be issued in the weekly rate mode and, may be converted to daily rate periods, auction rate certificates or fixed rate bonds. Variable rate bonds are subject to optional tender on any business...

2/3,K/67 (Item 4 from file: 148)

DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB

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07311654 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 15470910 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

CEC approves ethanol project. (California Energy Commission)

Coal & Synfuels Technology, v15, n22, p3(1)

June 6, 1994

ISSN: 0883-9735

LANGUAGE: ENGLISH

RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 213

LINE COUNT: 00015

... shying away from credit purchases since then in an effort to avoid criticism for buying credits at prices above what they could have gotten in the auction.

Emissions Exchange Corp., another credit broker, agreed the credit market is slow right now. While some trading...

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

SafeSearching.Com & **Pocketpass** .com Ink Pact
To Expand Reach and Offerings of GenY Entertainment Portal
The very familiar...

...a line of their own exclusive collector's edition phone and Internet cards powered by **Pocketpass** .com.

In addition to Alyssa Milano, SafeSearching.Com's stars include: Tyne Daly, Catherine Zeta...

...Marie-Combs, Kathy Ireland, Tori Spelling, Swoosie Kurtz, and others.

SafeSearching.Com, has contracted with **Pocketpass** .com to co-brand and market its patented pre-paid phone card and Internet payment system and to enable SafeSearching to accept **PocketPass** as a payment system for the site's products, services and premium content.

" **PocketPass** is an incredible opportunity that provides SafeSearching.Com with an additional profit stream while enabling...

...images and preserve their dignity," said Lin Milano, CEO of SafeSearching.Com "The functionality that **PocketPass** brings to us allows SafeSearching to expand its offerings to more users around the world...

...many new services that either were not possible before or could not profitably be sold."

Pocketpass .com offers Internet users a secure, seamless, immediate and anonymous pre-paid payment system allowing...

...all direct from the stars themselves.

"This is a perfect match-up for us," said **Pocketpass** .com CEO Jim Nations. "The **PocketPass** card is ideal for SafeSearching's target audience: the 22 million American teenagers who do...

...Internet economy where 90 percent of the populace is cardless." Nations said that a growing **PocketPass** market lies in the increasing number of online consumers who have credit cards but are...

...services such as pre-paid cellular that SafeSearching will be able to offer using the **PocketPass** system.

PocketPass offers a "physical world" plastic Card distributed like a phone card through retail establishments like record and video shops, convenience stores, gas stations, and grocery stores. **PocketPass** also offers a compatible and/or stand-alone, "virtual world" **Pocketpass** .com Account distributed via the Web. The **PocketPass** Card and **Pocketpass** .com account are a combined service sharing the same account number and PIN.

SafeSearching.Com...

...Ventura Blvd. #308 Sherman Oaks, CA 91423 -- Phone: 818/501-7493, Fax: 818/907-1650 **Pocketpass** .com, Corporate Offices: 1731 Technology Dr., Suite 700, San Jose, CA 95110-1327 -- Phone: 877...

2/3,K/3 (Item 3 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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07770508 Supplier Number: 64993232 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
PocketPass .Com Succes'fully Beta Tests First Prepaid Phone-Internet Payment Card Through Brick & Mortar Stores.
Business Wire, p0235
Sept 5, 2000
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 503

**PocketPass .Com Succes'fully Beta Tests First Prepaid Phone-Internet
Payment Card Through Brick & Mortar Stores.**

SAN JOSE, Calif.--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Sept. 5, 2000

PocketPass .Com, the Web's only pre-paid Internet payment system integrating a phone card with...

...account cards sold at brick-and-mortar retailers.

"We began beta sales of the physical **PocketPass** in mid-July, primarily in Silicon Valley convenience stores and the response has been very gratifying," said **PocketPass** CEO Jim Nations. "More than 65% of store owners gave us the thumbs up and began selling **PocketPass** cards immediately."

Nations explained that **PocketPass** limited its trial physical sales to about 50 stores in order to produce a "real..."

...use technology as well as systems and processes for sales, customer support and retailer relations.

PocketPass began operations in September 1999 and is still operating on its original \$1.25 million...

...company is now engaged in its first institutional round, a \$15 million Series B offering.

PocketPass offers a "physical world" plastic card distributed through retail establishments like convenience stores, gas stations, grocery stores, liquor, and check cashing stores. **PocketPass** ' phone card capabilities have proven to be a strong sales and marketing accelerator speeding market...

...both consumers and retailers.

The Company also offers a compatible and/or standalone, "virtual world" **PocketPass .com** Account distributed via the Web. The **PocketPass** card and **PocketPass .com** account are a combined service sharing the same account number and PIN.

The **PocketPass** card primarily targets:

-- The 59 million Americans (including 22 million teenagers) without credit cards.

-- People...

...chargebacks.

-- Content providers who need a "pay-for-play" system that can profitably handle micropayments.

PocketPass also distributes its virtual **PocketPass .com** account to Web consumers via its own Web site and co-brand Web partners. In the virtual model, customers can buy and recharge their **PocketPass** accounts with a credit card, debit card, check or another **PocketPass** .

The **PocketPass .Com** management team and directors are comprised of seasoned-startup executives bringing experience and knowledge...

2/3,K/4 (Item 4 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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07460539 Supplier Number: 62728264 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

**ECOMMONY ANNOUNCED THE DEBUT OF FUNDTRANSFER - THE FIRST PERSON-TO-PERSON
CREDIT CARD PAYMENT APPLICATION BASED ON PAYTOCARD INFRASTRUCTURE.**

PR Newswire, p5285

June 14, 2000

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 600

... the Internet for P2P payments," said Jim Nations, President and CEO of San Jose-based **PocketPass .Com, Inc.**, which has developed and patented the world's only combination of pre-paid telephone card and Internet payment system. Nations said that, "While **PocketPass** enables people without credit cards to make web purchases and P2P payments, we signed up ...

...because their FundTransfer system is a significant advance that offers quick and easy benefits to **PocketPass** members who choose to make credit card transactions. We are pleased to offer this powerful new tool to our customers, enabling them to transfer funds between their **PocketPass** card and their personal credit card accounts."

The key market of eCommony is the 'Mediator...

...market. For more information, please visit the company's website <http://www.ecommony.com>

About **PocketPass .Com, Inc.**

Founded in 1999, **PocketPass .Com** is an Internet service and infrastructure company which has developed and is marketing the **PocketPass**, a dual-use, patent-pending, anonymous, pre-paid telephone card and Internet transaction system which...

...people have credit cards. For more information, please visit the company's website <http://www.pocketpass.com>

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POCKETPASS

INTL CLASS: 36 (Insurance & Financial Services)
T&T INTL CLASS: 36 (Insurance & Financial Services)
42 (Miscellaneous Service Marks)
U.S. CLASS: 100 (Miscellaneous Service Marks)
101 (Advertising & Business Services)
102 (Financial & Insurance Services)
T&T U.S. CLASS: 102 (Financial & Insurance Services)
STATUS: Pending-Published for Opposition; Notice of Allowance -
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102 (Financial & Insurance Services)
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POCKETPASSCOM (CO=)
DIALOG FILE 547: EXPERIAN BUSINESS CREDIT PROFILES
(C) 2001 EXPERIAN
RECORDS AS OF JULY 01, 2001: 1
TYPE OF DATA: Credit

RECORDS AS OF JULY 01, 2001:

2/3,K/8 (Item 2 from file: 416)
DIALOG(R)File 416:DIALOG COMPANY NAME FINDER(TM)
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POCKETPASS.COM, INC. (CO=)
DIALOG FILE 516: D & B - DUNS MARKET IDENTIFIERS
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RECORDS AS OF JULY 01, 2001: 1
TYPE OF DATA: Directory

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DIALOG(R)File 416:DIALOG COMPANY NAME FINDER(TM)
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POCKETPASS.COM, INC. (CO=)
DIALOG FILE 613: PR NEWSWIRE
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RECORDS AS OF JULY 01, 2001: 1
TYPE OF DATA: FullText

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DIALOG(R)File 416:DIALOG COMPANY NAME FINDER(TM)
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POCKETPASS (CO=)
DIALOG FILE 526: S&P REGISTER-BIOGRAPHICAL
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RECORDS AS OF JULY 01, 2001: 1
TYPE OF DATA: Directory

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DIALOG FILE 515: D&B-DUN`S ELEC. BUS. DIR.(TM)
(C) 2000 DUN & BRADSTREET
RECORDS AS OF JULY 01, 2001: 1
TYPE OF DATA: Directory

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CIVIL LAWSUITS
Arizona Business (AB
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...Attorney for plaintiff: Hyung S. Choi

Case number: CV00-15657

Plaintiff: Austin Michaels Ltd.

Defendant: Pocketpass .com Inc.

Nature of complaint: Unpaid commission

Attorney for plaintiff: Ronald J. Logan

Case number...

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DIALOG(R)File 515:D&B-Dun`s Elec. Bus. Dir.(TM)
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00598933

Overcurrent protection device

Überstromschutzeinrichtung

Dispositif de protection contre surintensite

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CITED REFERENCES (EP A):

CONFERENCE RECORD OF THE 1987 IEEE INDUSTRY APPLICATIONS SOCIETY ANNUAL
MEETING PART II 18 October 1987, ATLANTA pages 1352 - 1357 WILLIAM E.
MAY 'Development and Application of Electronic Circuit Protection';

CITED REFERENCES (EP B):

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MEETING PART II 18 October 1987, ATLANTA pages 1352 - 1357 WILLIAM E.
MAY 'Development and Application of Electronic Circuit Protection';

ABSTRACT EP 577339 A1

A microprocessor based overcurrent trip unit includes an analog circuit for monitoring phase currents in the electrical interrupting device, adapted to interface with the microprocessor over a range of selectable set-points for instantaneous tripping and to monitor the phase currents even when the current sensing transformers are saturated. The overcurrent trip unit allows the long time delay characteristics to be varied to provide coordination with the characteristics of other overcurrent tripping devices, such as a current limiting fuse, to enhance the overall reliability of the system. For example, the function may be varied to provide either a fixed or FLAT, I_t , $I(\sup 2)t$ and $I(\sup 4)t$ functions. The overcurrent tripping device also allows for relatively wide adjustment ranges for the long time delay and short time delay protection portions of an overcurrent protection curve. (see image in original document)

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00430604

System for matching of buyers and sellers with risk minimization.
System zur Verbindung von Käufer und Verkäufer mit Risikominimierung.
Systeme pour lier un acheteur avec un vendeur avec une minimisation de risque.

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EP 411748 A3 911121

APPLICATION (CC, No, Date): EP 90305763 900525;

PRIORITY (CC, No, Date): US 360412 890602

DESIGNATED STATES: CH; DE; FR; GB; LI

INTERNATIONAL PATENT CLASS: G06F-015/24;

CITED PATENTS (EP A): US 3573747 A

CITED REFERENCES (EP A):

COMMUNICATIONS OF THE ACM vol. 29, no. 1, January
1986, pages 19-29, New York, NY, US; J.P. BANATRE et al.: "The design
and building of ENCHERE, a distributed electronic marketing system";

ABSTRACT EP 411748 A2

A risk control matching system for trading instrument, such as foreign exchange currencies, is provided in which bids are automaticall matched against offer for given trading instruments for automatically providing matching transactoins in order to complete trades for the given trading instruments, and broken trades are readily identified with a minimization of risk to the parties to a potential matching transaction. The system comprises a host computer (20) for maintaining a book database (118)

comprising all of the active bids and offers in the system by trading instrument, a transaction originating keystation (24a) for providing a bid on a given trading instrument, a counterparty keystation (24b) for providing an offer on the given trading instrument a network (22) for interconnecting the host (20) and the keystation (24, 25b), and a plurality of transaction desks (70a, 70b, 70c), connected to the host (20) for detecting the occurrence of the potential matching transaction and "voting" on whether to commit to the match. Positive match acknowledgment signals are provided to the host (20) by the keystations (24) involved in the trade in response to receipt of match notification signals from the host (20). If one of these signals is not received back, the host (20) detects a broken trade to have occurred. Each of the keystations (24) provides an application based heartbeat signal to the host (20) which enables rapid detection of keystation (24) failure. In the event of detection of such keystation (24) failure, the host (20) cancels all bids and offers associated with the failed keystation (24).

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00430602

Distributed system and method for matching of buyers and sellers.

Verteiltes System und Verfahren zum Herstellen von Geschäftsbeziehungen
zwischen Käufern und Verkäufern.

Systeme distribue et methode pour etablir une correspondance entre
acheteurs et vendeurs.

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A matching system and method for trading instruments are provided in which bids are automatically matched against offers for given trading instruments for automatically providing matching transactions in order to complete trades for the given trading instruments in which controllable subsets (110, 112) of a distributable system trading book (118) may be selectively provided to trading keystations (24) in the matching system from the host computer (20) or central system for controllably masking the available trading market. The system comprises the host computer (20) for maintaining a host book data base (118) comprising all of the active bids and offers in the system by trading instrument, a transaction originating keystation (24a) at a client site (26a) for providing a bid on a given trading instrument to the system for providing a potential matching transaction, a counterparty keystation (24b) for providing an offer on the given trading instrument involved in the potential matching transaction, and a network (22) for interconnecting the host computer (20), the transaction originating keystation (24a) and the counterparty keystation (24b) in the system for enabling data communication therebetween. Both the transaction originating keystation (24a) and the counterparty keystation (24b), which of course can comprise more than one counterparty for a given transaction, for the potential matching transaction each have an associated local data base keystation book (110, 112) comprising a subset of the host book (118). The content of each of the keystation books (110, 112) has an associated display depth range which is controllable by the host computer (20) and is updatable by transaction update broadcast messages (132) received from the host computer (20) through the network (22). The network (22) is preferably transparent to the transactions communicated via the network (22). In the system of the present invention, the broadcast messages (132) from the host or central system (20) are broadcast to all of the keystations (24) in the matching system and are used to update the keystation (110, 112) books whereas the directed messages (122, 124, 128, 130) which are sent from the central system or host (20) are directed back only to the keystations (24a, 24b) involved in the actual matching transaction. These directed messages are used to update the local entry data base or order book (114, 116) at the local keystations (24a, 24b) involved in the transaction so as to indicate what has happened to the offer or bid at that particular keystation (24a, 24b) made in the connection with the matching transaction.

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A matching system for trading instruments in which bids are automatically matched against offers for given trading instruments for automatically providing matching transactions in order to complete trades for the given trading instruments, includes a host computer means (20) comprising means for anonymously matching active bids and offers in the system by trading instrument based on a variable matching criteria, which comprises counterparty credit limit between counterparties (24a, 26b) to a potential matching transaction. The system also includes a transaction originating keystation (24a) for providing a bid on a given trading instrument to the system for providing the potential matching transaction; a counterparty keystation (26b) for providing an offer on the given trading instrument involved in the potential matching transaction; and network means (22) for interconnecting the host computer means (20), the transaction originating keystation (24a) and the counterparty keystation (26b) in the system for enabling data communications therebetween. Both the transaction originating keystation (24a) and the counterparty keystation (26b) for the potential matching transaction each have an associated counterparty credit limit, with the system (20) blocking completion of the potential matching transaction between the transaction originating keystation (24a) and the counterparty keystation means (26b) when the potential matching transaction has an associated value in excess of counterparty credit limit. The assigned credit limits may be reset or varied by the users (24a, 26b) to change the ability of the user or subscriber to effectuate deals.

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ROUTING AND PROCESSING FINANCIAL TRANSACTION DATA
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A system (10) for routing and processing financial transaction data for an electronic marketplace (38) utilizes, browsers to communicate with the system (10) over the Internet via web pages and includes a business process transaction manager (40), a key aspect of which is a message broker function. When information is received about a member from the electronic marketplace (38) or the member itself, the system (10) performs processing related to various services. The system (10) includes databases (36) used by the system (10) in connection with its message broker function, for storing information on transactions and positions, a rules engine, and for data about the members.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme (10) destine a l'acheminement et au traitement de donnees sur les operations financieres, destine a un cybermarche (38). Ce systeme (10) comprend, par exemple, des explorateurs permettant la communication avec le systeme sur Internet par l'intermediaire de pages Web et un gestionnaires d'operations des processus commerciaux (40), un element essentiel de ce systeme etant la fonction de gestionnaire de flux (message broker). Lorsque des informations concernant un membre arrivent du cybermarche (38) et/ou du membre lui-meme, le systeme (10) effectue le traitement associe a plusieurs services. Le systeme (10) comprend des bases de donnees (36) utilisees par le systeme en connexion avec son gestionnaire de flux, destinees au stockage des informations relatives aux operations et aux positions ainsi qu'aux donnees concernant les membres, ainsi qu'un moteur de transformation.

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ADVANCED ASSET MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS

SYSTEMES DE GESTION D'AVOIRS PERFECTIONNES

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Computer-based systems are described that establish public/private mechanisms with which users can transfer, transmit, receive, aggregate, distribute and exchange cash and non-cash assets, wherein a user, the user's account(s), and its/their transactions can be chosen to be any combination of anonymous, identified, masked and/or traceable. Systems are also described that include user-defined, user-selected, and/or user-determined attributes and constraints for transactions, accounts, the contents of accounts, and other related objects, as well as systems that include dynamically created tokens and aliases for account numbers, and hierarchies of user-defined sub-accounts. Additionally, there are a methods and apparatus that afford users the ability to transfer ownership and/or control of, and to alter the ways of accessing their assets. Certain preferred forms of the later methods and apparatus, referred to as advanced asset management systems, do not require the physical manifestation and transfer of the discrete assets themselves. Use of all of the foregoing systems make available new and improved traditional and electronic forms of retail, wholesale, entitlement, gifting, auction, barter, gaming, investment, security and other commercial and non-commercial activities.

French Abstract

Cette invention se rapporte a des systemes informatiques qui etablissent des mecanismes publics/prives a l'aide desquels les utilisateurs peuvent transferer, transmettre, recevoir, regrouper, distribuer et echanger des avoirs sous forme liquide et non liquide, ou un utilisateur, le ou les comptes de l'utilisateur et ses/leurs transactions peuvent etre choisies pour etre anonymes, identifiees, masquées et/ou tracables dans n'importe quelle combinaison de ces caracteristiques. Cette invention decrit egalement des systemes qui contiennent des attributs et de contraintes definis par l'utilisateur, selectionnes par l'utilisateur et/ou determines par l'utilisateur pour des transactions, des comptes, le contenu de comptes et d'autres objets apparentes, ainsi que des systemes qui contiennent des jetons et des pseudonymes pour des numeros de compte et des hierarchies de sous-comptes definis par l'utilisateur. Cette invention concerne en outre un procede et un appareil qui offrent aux utilisateurs la possibilite de transferer la propriete et/ou le controle de leurs avoirs, et de modifier les moyens d'y acceder. Certaines formes preferees de ces procedes et appareils, appelees systemes de gestion d'avoirs perfectionnes, ne necessitent pas la manifestation et le transfert physique des avoirs eux-memes separement. L'utilisateur de tous ces systemes offre des formes nouvelles, traditionnelles ameliorees et electroniques d'activites de vente au detail, de vente en gros, d'offre de prestations, d'offre de cadeaux, de vente aux encheres, d'echange, de jeux, d'investissements, de cautionnement et d'autres activites commerciales et non commerciales.

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METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR DELIVERING FOREIGN EXCHANGE RISK MANAGEMENT ADVISORY
SOLUTIONS TO A DESIGNATED MARKET

PROCEDE ET SYSTEME PERMETTANT D'APPORTER DES SOLUTIONS AVISEES DE GESTION
DES RISQUES SUR LES PLACEMENT EN DEVISES ETRANGERES POUR UN MARCHE
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Consistent with principles of the present invention, a method and system for delivering foreign exchange risk management advisory solutions to a designated market is disclosed. For each user, the disclosed system generates an exposure model that is consistent with that user's risk management policy and a budget/pricing determination made in response to user information and external pricing information. The disclosed system may further operate to determine an appropriate measurement of risk and associated hedge alternative for a user, consistent with economic forecasts, and process a request for a hedge instrument from the user. Various hedge instruments may be analyzed and/or obtained through the disclosed system, including spot contracts, forward contracts, option contracts, and money market instruments. The disclosed system further provides extensive training, compliance and sales related features.

French Abstract

La presente invention concerne un procede et un systeme permettant d'apporter des solutions avisees de gestion des risques sur les placements en devises etrangeres pour un marche donne. Pour chaque utilisateur, ce systeme genere un modele d'exposition coherent avec la

politique de gestion des risques de l'utilisateur et avec une
determination de cours/budget elaboree en reponse a des informations
relatives a l'utilisateur et a des informations exterieures relatives aux
cours. Le systeme de cette invention peut aussi fonctionner de facon a
determiner une mesure appropriee du risque et des alternatives de
couverture associees pour un utilisateur, coherente avec des previsions
economiques, et a traiter une demande d'instrument de couverture emanant
d'un utilisateur. On peut analyser et/ou obtenir divers instruments de
couverture par ce systeme, notamment des contrats au comptant, des
polices a effet differe, des contrats d'option, et des instruments du
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A distributed network system supporting foreign exchange execution is described. The system allows customers to receive competitive price quotes to meet foreign exchange needs from dealers through a multi-bid foreign exchange execution process. This process encourage dealers to place more competitive price quotes while also increasing the number of price quote requests that dealers receive from their customers. The resultant win-win situation, as well as lower handling costs afforded by automatic exchange of settlement information makes the system attractive to both customers and dealers. Embodiments of the invention can operate over packet switched networks such as the Internet using latency monitoring and a mixture of guaranteed quality of service (QoS) and non-guaranteed QoS connections.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme a reseau decentralise permettant d'effectuer des operations de change. Le systeme permet aux clients de

recevoir des cours competitifs capables de repondre aux besoins de change des agents par un processus d'operations de change multi-offres. Un tel processus encourage les agents a faire intervenir des cours plus competitifs tout en augmentant le nombre de requetes de cours que les agents recoivent de leurs clients. La situation benefique a tous qui en resulte ainsi que les faibles frais de manutention, consecutifs a l'echange automatique d'informations relatives au reglement rendent le systeme attractif a la fois pour les clients et pour les agents. Des formes d'execution de l'invention permettent d'operer sur des reseaux a commutation de paquets tels que Internet, avec utilisation de surveillance de temps d'attente et melange de qualite de service garantie (QoS) et de connexions QoS non garanties.

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SYSTEM FOR MULTI-BID FOREIGN EXCHANGE WORKFLOW AUTOMATION

SYSTEME PERMETTANT L'AUTOMATISATION DU PROCESSUS DE CHANGE DE DEVISES A OFFRES MULTIPLES

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English Abstract

A distributed network system supporting foreign exchange execution is described. The system allows customers to receive competitive price quotes to meet foreign exchange needs from dealers through a multi-bid foreign exchange execution process. This process encourages dealers to place more competitive price quotes while also increasing the number of price quote requests that dealers receive from their customers. The resultant win-win situation, as well as lower handling costs afforded by automatic exchange of settlement information makes the system attractive to both customers and dealers. Embodiments of the invention can be used to support foreign exchange workflow automation within a business concern. The system can be integrated with other enterprise systems to provide efficient execution that reduces the likelihood of errors, increases oversight of traders, and can reduce trading costs.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme de reseau distribue permettant l'execution de change de devises. Ce systeme permet aux clients de recevoir des devis competitifs afin de satisfaire les demandes de change de devises provenant des vendeurs via un processus d'execution de change de devises a offres multiples. Ce procede encourage les vendeurs a effectuer des devis plus competitifs, tout en augmentant le nombre de demandes de devis que les vendeurs recoivent de leurs clients. Il en resulte donc une situation ou tout le monde est gagnant, ainsi qu'une reduction des frais de manutention grace a l'echange automatique des informations d'agrement, ce qui rend ce systeme attractif a la fois pour les clients et les vendeurs. Les differents modes de realisation de la presente invention peuvent servir a realiser l'automatisation du processus de change de devises dans une entreprise commerciale. Ce systeme peut egalement s'integrer a d'autres systemes de l'entreprise en question, afin d'optimiser l'efficacite de l'execution, ce qui permet de reduire le nombre d'erreurs possibles, d'accroitre la supervision des negociateurs en bourse et enfin, d'abaisser les couts d'achat.

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**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR IMPLEMENTING FOREIGN EXCHANGE CURRENCY FORWARDS
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE POUR L'EXECUTION D'OPERATIONS DE CHANGE DE DEVISES A
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A computer system and method support foreign exchange (FX) forward trading for both order posting and execution. The system includes a central server for tracking currency trades; a plurality of trading workstations; and at least one remote server interfacing the trading workstations to the central server, with the at least one remote server mediating the currency trades between traders using the workstations by consulting pre-set trading configurations associated with each trader. Currency brokers and traders use the system through a plurality of data input and display screens to deal in currency forwards in an efficient manner. The system and method support both voice and electronic data to interface with existing trading systems such as voice-based networks, permitting order entry anywhere in the world. The system includes features such as the filtering of entities by specified criteria such as bad credit, bad geography, etc. using the pre-set trading configurations associated with each trader, so that such filtered entities are not even displayed to a trader; request for quotes functions, in which up to eight people can be selected and stored in a database who a trader is willing to trade with; and a penalty box for not trading or displaying trades of an annoying trader.

French Abstract

Cette invention se rapporte a un systeme et a un procede informatiques qui prennent en charge les negociations sur les operations de change de devises (FX) a terme, permettant a la fois le placement et l'execution d'ordres. Ce systeme utilise un serveur central suivant les negociations sur les devises; plusieurs stations de travail de negociation, et au moins un serveur distant servant d'interface entre les stations de travail de negociation et le serveur central, le ou les serveurs distants servant de mediateurs pour les negociations sur les devises entre les negociants utilisant les stations de travail, en consultant les configurations de negociation preetablies associees a chaque negociant. Les agents de change et les negociants utilisent ce systeme via plusieurs ecrans d'entree et d'affichage de donnees, pour traiter de facon efficace des operations de change a terme. Ce systeme et ce procede prennent en charge a la fois des donnees vocales et electroniques pour servir d'interface avec les systemes de negociation existants, tels que des reseaux vocaux, permettant ainsi le placement d'ordres partout dans le monde. Ce systeme comprend des fonctions, telles que le filtrage d'entites par des criteres specifiques, tels que le credit de mauvaise qualite, la mauvaise position geographique, etc., en utilisant les configurations de negociation preetablies associees a chaque negociant, de telle sorte que les entites filtrees ne sont meme pas affichees a l'intention d'un negociant; la demande de cours, pour laquelle une base de donnees peut selectionner et enregistrer jusqu'a 8 personnes avec lesquelles un negociant souhaite negocier; et une boite de penalite en cas de refus de negocier ou d'afficher les operations d'un negociant contrariant.

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FINANCING OF TENANT IMPROVEMENTS

FINANCEMENT DES AMELIORATIONS LOCATIVES

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French Abstract

L'invention concerne des procedes de credit-bail pour le financement des ameliorations locatives. Les ameliorations d'un espace loue sont louees par une entite a vocation particuliere a un locataire selon un contrat de concession des ameliorations different de celui du contrat de location de l'espace. L'entite a vocation particuliere peut etre une entite administrative soumise aux lois de la comptabilite fiscale et elle peut etre detenue par un proprietaire de l'espace. Les etats financiers de cette entite peuvent etre regroupes avec ceux du proprietaire. Cette entite peut etre dotee de capitaux permanents grace: (a) a la participation au capital du proprietaire de l'ordre d'au moins trois pour cent de la valeur des ameliorations locatives; (b) a des dettes contractees par ladite entite de l'ordre d'au moins quatre vingt pour cent de la valeur des ameliorations locatives, les dettes etant sans recours contre ladite entite, le proprietaire et les ameliorations, et etant fixees par une entiere obligation de la part du locataire. Ladite entite detient la concession des ameliorations. La realisation des ameliorations locatives peut etre financee par ladite entite. Les loyers entrant en ligne de compte dans le cadre de la concession des ameliorations peut avoir une valeur actualisee au moins egale a la valeur

des ameliorations a la prise d'effet de la concession des ameliorations.
La concession des ameliorations peut aller de pair avec le contrat de
location de l'espace de maniere a appuyer la conclusion fiscale selon
laquelle la location de l'espace et la concession des ameliorations
locatives doivent etre traitees ensemble comme un seul contrat de
location et que ce contrat doit etre considere comme un contrat de
location-exploitation. Les loyers compris dans la concession des
ameliorations locatives peuvent etre en totalite deductibles des impots
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**METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR CONDUCTING ELECTRONIC AUCTIONS WITH NET PRESENT VALUE
BIDDING**

**PROCEDE ET SYSTEME DE CONDUITE DE VENTES AUX ENCHERES ELECTRONIQUES PAR
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English Abstract

A method and system for a business-to-business online auction is described. Bids by participating bidders are specified over multiple contract term segments (e.g., years), and define a pattern of cash payments over time. The auction system converts the defined pattern of cash payments over time into a net present value bid. The net present value bids are used to effect a common basis of comparison between participating bidders.

French Abstract

L'invention concerne un procede et un systeme de vente aux encheres interentreprises, en ligne. Des offres, placees par des participants, sont specifiees sur plusieurs segments de termes de contrat (par exemple les annees) et determinent un calendrier des paiements en especes, dans le temps. Ce systeme de vente aux encheres convertit le calendrier determine de paiements en especes dans le temps, en une offre a valeur actuelle nette, ces offres a valeur actuelle nette etant utilisees pour servir de base commune de comparaison entre participants placant des offres.

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E-COMMERCE METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR ONLINE OPPORTUNISTIC AUCTIONS IN COMMERCIAL SECONDARY MARKETS

PROCEDE ET SYSTEME DE COMMERCE ELECTRONIQUE POUR ENCHERES OPPORTUNISTES EN LIGNE SUR DES MARCHES COMMERCIAUX SECONDAIRES

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French Abstract

L'invention concerne un systeme d'echanges automatise base sur Internet, ce systeme etant destine a gerer l'echange de droits de propriete sur des objets sur un marche secondaire. Dans ce systeme d'echanges automatise, un ou plusieurs echanges accessoires permettent de mettre a jour les informations representant les transactions effectuees sur le marche secondaire et de gerer ces transactions. Ce systeme d'echanges automatise s'articule notamment autour d'un echange accessoire de mise aux encheres d'un portefeuille secondaire, d'un echange accessoire de services de tarification et d'evaluation, d'un echange secondaire de services de negociation de contrats electroniques, et d'un echange accessoire de services de livraison et de controle. Ce systeme d'echanges automatise comporte enfin un gestionnaire de commutation logique destine a lancer des encheres opportunistes a partir d'une transaction portant sur un produit ou un service, de sorte que les encheres montent ou que les prestations de services sont sollicitees sur le meme marche secondaire ou sur d'autres marches secondaires.

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SYSTEMS, METHODS AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCTS FOR ELECTRONIC TRADING OF
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SYSTEMES, METHODES ET PROGRAMMES INFORMATIQUES DESTINES A LA NEGOCIATION
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An Internet-protocol based anonymous trading system which enables traders to identify bids and offers which they are eligible to trade based upon a color coded methodology which gives the trader credit preference information about the potential counterparty while still maintaining the anonymity of the potential counterparty. To that end, each bid or offer is prescreened against all possible counterparties' credit information in the system and each counterparty sees a unique color coded trading interface based upon their particular credit preference combinations and the others in the system. The system then shows all prices in the system, and the color-coding tells the trader which prices he is able to trade, and also shows him the full depth of the market, including those the trader is unable to trade.

French Abstract

Système de négociation anonyme basé sur un protocole Internet, qui permet à des négociateurs d'identifier les soumissions et les offres pour la négociation desquelles ils sont éligibles. Le système est basé sur une méthodologie de codes de couleurs, qui donne au négociateur des informations de préférence de crédit sur les contreparties éventuelles, tout en conservant l'anonymat desdites contreparties. À cet effet, chaque soumission ou offre est préalablement examinée à la recherche de toutes les informations de crédit des contreparties du système, et chaque contrepartie voit une interface de négociation avec un code d'une seule couleur sur la base de ses propres combinaisons de préférences de crédit et de celles des autres participants au système. Le système présente ensuite tous les prix, et le codage par couleurs indique au négociateur quels prix il est capable de négocier et lui montre la totalité du marché, y compris les prix qu'il est incapable de négocier.

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SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR TRADING HAVING A PRINCIPAL MARKET MAKER

SYSTEME ET PROCEDURE D'EXECUTION DE TRANSACTIONS UTILISANT UN MAINTENEUR DE MARCHÉ PRINCIPAL

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English Abstract

A system and method is provided for linking a Rolling Spot Currency contract (i.e. futures contracts in the foreign exchange market) with a Principal Market Maker (i.e. quoter) specialist program designed to replicate an over-the-counter bank trading environment by merging a combined trader and broker, with a traditional futures pit trading environment. The link includes a Principal Market Maker (PMM) computer (12), a computer (10) coupled to computer (12) for trading rolling spot

currency, a conventional electronic brokerage and trading network (14) such as the REUTERS trading system, a limited access network (26) used by non-professional traders, and a clearing facility (48), which is coupled to PMM computer (12), computer (10), network (14) and limited access network (26) to confirm and settle trades executed by PMM computer (12). These elements of the link are coupled to PMM computer (12) to receive and transmits bids and offers for international currency trading.

French Abstract

Cette invention se rapporte a un systeme et a un procede permettant de lier des contrats d'echange de devises au comptant (c'est-a-dire des contrats de valeurs a terme du marche des changes) a un programme mainteneur de marche principal (c'est-a-dire un programme de definition de cotes) specialise, concu pour reproduire un environnement commercial bancaire hors-cote par fusion de l'association d'un negociateur et d'un courtier avec un environnement de commercialisation par vente aux encheres de valeurs a terme. Ledit systeme de lien comporte un ordinateur mainteneur de marche principal (PMM) (12), un ordinateur (10) couple a l'ordinateur precedent (12) pour executer des transactions d'echange de devises au comptant, un reseau electronique classique de courtage et d'execution de transactions (14) tel que le systeme REUTERS, un reseau d'acces limite (26) utilise par les negociateurs non professionnels, et une fonction de compensation (48) qui est couplee a l'ordinateur PMM (12), a l'ordinateur (10), au reseau (14) et au reseau a acces limite (26) pour confirmer et solder des transactions executees par l'ordinateur PMM (12). Ces elements du lien sont coupls a l'ordinateur PMM (12) pour recevoir et emettre des soumissions et des offres en vue de l'execution de transactions monetaires internationales.

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CONTROL SYSTEMS BASED ON SIMULATED VIRTUAL MODELS

SYSTEMES DE COMMANDE BASES SUR DES MODELES VIRTUELS SIMULES

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Publication Language: English

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Detailed Description

Claims

Fulltext Word Count: 135683

English Abstract

This invention describes a computer-based system (112), methods and visual interfaces for providing an integrated development and deployment framework for visual modeling and dynamic simulation of virtual models of complex systems, which can be further integrated with monitoring (108) and control (138) devices to monitor and control the operation of the complex systems modeled (102) and can be used for information retrieval.

More particularly, the virtual models in the present invention relate to visual models of biochemical complex systems, comprising sets of icons representing processes and their participants linked into multidimensional pathways (116), further organized in a hierarchy of icons representing discrete time and space compartments, wherein such compartments may contain other compartments, and wherein those modular icons encapsulate in different layers all the information, data, and mathematical models that characterize and define each virtual model.

French Abstract

L'invention porte sur un systeme informatique (112), sur un procede et sur des interfaces representant un cadre de developpement et de deploiement pour le modelage visuel et la simulation dynamique de modeles virtuels de systemes complexes pouvant ensuite etre integres a des dispositifs de controle (108) et de commande (138) d'exploitation des systemes complexes ainsi modeles (102) et peuvent etre utilises pour la recherche d'informations. Les modeles virtuels de la presente invention peuvent se rapporter a des modeles visuels de systemes de complexes biochimiques comprenant des ensembles d'icomes representant des processus et leurs participants lies par des chemins pluridimensionnels (116) qui sont ensuite organisees selon une hierarchie d'icomes representant des compartiments discrets dans le temps et dans l'espace, lesdits compartiments pouvant en contenir d'autres et lesdites icomes modulaires pouvant englober dans differentes couches toutes les informations, donnees et modeles mathematiques caracterisant et definissant chacun des modeles virtuels.

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00339391

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR RISK TRANSFER AND DIVERSIFICATION THROUGH THE USE OF ASSURANCE ACCOUNTS
SYSTEME ET PROCEDE DE TRANSFERT ET DE DIVERSIFICATION DE RISQUE A L'AIDE DE COMPTES D'ASSURANCE

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Application: WO 96US51 19960111 (PCT/WO US9600051)
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Publication Language: English

Fulltext Availability:

Detailed Description
Claims

Fulltext Word Count: 19816

English Abstract

A system and method of accepting risk (14) through contractual obligations, then transferring all or a portion of the risk to investors

which includes a means of absolute assurance of timely payment to contractholders, and segregation of the interests of particular investors to specifically identified risks in a risk to capital matching system. Segregated reserves are used to tailor particular products for specific needs and, in particular, the need of transferring difficult to place risks. Agreements are created which promise payments, based on loss from risks including investment risk such as unexpected stock dividend changes; variations in returns on marketable debt obligations and currency fluctuations (13). The entity provides a unique service of guaranteeing payments for losses and investment performance payments by setting aside reserves fully adequate to meet the maximum of each and every obligation (14).

French Abstract

La presente invention concerne un systeme et un procede d'acceptation de risque (14) par des obligations contractuelles, et de transfert ulterieur de tout ou partie du risque a des investisseurs. Le systeme comporte un moyen d'assurance absolue du paiement ponctuel aux parties contractantes et d'affectation exclusive des interets d'investisseurs determines a des risques identifies de maniere specifique, dans un systeme de correspondance entre risque et capital. Des reserves distinctes sont utilisees pour realiser sur mesure des produits particuliers destines a des besoins specifiques et, en particulier, la necessite de transferer des risques difficiles a placer. Des accords sont crees, qui promettent des paiements, bases sur les pertes dues a des risques, dont les risques d'investissement tels que les variations imprevuees des dividendes en actions, les variations de rendement sur les titres de creance de placement et les fluctuations des cours des devises (13). L'ensemble donne un service unique de garantie des paiements pour pertes et des paiements d'execution d'investissements, grace a la constitution de reserves entierement appropriees pour faire face au maximum de tout titre (14).

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METHODS AND APPARATUS RELATING TO THE FORMULATION AND TRADING OF RISK MANAGEMENT CONTRACTS

PROCEDE ET APPAREIL DESTINES A L'ETABLISSEMENT ET A LA NEGOCIATION DES CONTRATS DE GESTION DE RISQUES

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Inventor(s):

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Publication Language: English

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Detailed Description

Claims

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English Abstract

Methods and apparatus which deal with the management of risk relating to specified, yet unknown, future events are disclosed. "Sponsor" stakeholders (12) specify a particular product relating to an event or phenomenon for which there is a range of possible future outcomes. "Ordering" stakeholders (13) then offer contracts relating to the predetermined phenomenon and corresponding range of outcomes. The offered contracts specify an entitlement (or pay-off) at the future time of maturity for each outcome, and a consideration (or premium) payable, in exchange, to a "counter-party" stakeholder (14). Independently of the offered contracts, the "counter-party" stakeholders (14) input data as to their view of the likelihood of occurrence of each outcome in the predetermined range into the future, or specifically at the predetermined date of maturity. Each offered contract is priced by the processing units (20) by calculating counter-party premiums from the registered data, and a match attempted by a comparison of the offered premium with the calculated premiums. Matched contracts can be further traded until maturity, and at-maturity processing handles the exchange of entitlement as between the matched parties to the contract.

French Abstract

Le procede et l'appareil decrits permettent d'assurer la gestion de risques concernant des evenements a venir et jusqu'alors inconnus. Les participants "garants" (12) fournissent la description d'un produit specifique concerne par un evenement ou un phenomene pour lesquels on peut predire plusieurs issues. Les participants "ordonnateurs" (13) proposent alors des contrats prenant en consideration le phenomene tel qu'il a ete defini et l'ensemble des issues previsibles. Les contrats proposes specifient un droit (ou un dedommagement) a l'echeance de chacune des issues a venir, et une provision (ou indemnite) dus, en compensation, a un participant "contrepartie" (14). Independamment des contrats proposes, les participants "contrepartie" (14) introduisent des donnees precisant leurs leurs estimations soit quant a la probabilite de survenue de chacune des issues previsibles, soit, de facon plus specifique, quant a cette survenue a la date d'echeance prevue. Le calcul du prix de chacun des contrats est effectue au moyen d'unites de traitement (20) qui calculent les indemnites des contreparties a partir des donnees enregistrees, et un essai d'adaptation est realise sur la base d'une comparaison entre les indemnites offertes et les indemnites calculees. Les contrats ayant fait l'objet d'une telle adaptation peuvent ensuite donner lieu a renegotiation jusqu'a la date d'echeance. A la date d'echeance, le traitement informatique assure la compensation des droits entre les parties au contrat concernees par l'adaptation.

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eRoomSystem Technologies, Inc. Reports 2000 Fiscal Year Results.
PR Newswire, pNA
April 3, 2001
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 871

... attributable to common stockholders was primarily due to an increase of \$5,370,682 in **non - cash** dividends related to **convertible** preferred stock that occurred upon the mandatory **conversion** of all outstanding preferred stock upon the close of our initial public **offering**, and secondarily as a result of the one-time restructuring charge and the increase in **non - cash** compensation expense and **selling**, general and administrative expenses noted above.

"The past year was one of the most challenging...

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Business Wire, p2310
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Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 600

... services that either were not possible before or could not profitably be sold."

Pocketpass.com **offers** Internet users a secure, seamless, immediate and anonymous pre-paid payment system allowing **cash**, checks, credit cards and even pre-paid telephone time and promotional **awards** to be **converted** into Internet financial transactions ideal for **auctions**, peer-to-peer, consumer-to-consumer transactions and micropayments as well as for purchases at...

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Shared Technologies Cellular Files Amendments to Financial Reports.
Business Wire, p1592
June 21, 1999
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 515

... stock on that date.

The Company negotiated the terms of the Series C Preferred Stock offering prior to a rise in the **trading** price of the Company's common stock; however, the accounting rule governing this treatment measures the

beneficial **conversion** features of the **convertible** preferred stock at the time of its actual issuance, rather than the time the terms were first agreed to.

Neither the **non - cash** preferred stock dividend set forth in the amended Form 10-Q nor the reclassifications within...

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13444294 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
HK Stocks Buoyed by Banking Sector
XINHUA (COMTEX)
October 23, 2000
JOURNAL CODE: WXIN LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 256

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... the market heavyweight China Mobile losing 2.79 percent to end at 52.25 **HK dollars**, wiping out 85.43 **points** from the HSI.

PCCW, Hong Kong's largest telecommunications and Internet group, suspended **trading** Monday pending an announcement on a proposed **offer** of shares to its shareholders and issuance of **convertible** bonds in a wholly-owned subsidiary.

The turnover Monday was a thin 6.737 billion **HK dollars** (864 million U.S. dollars), compared with Friday's 11.429 billion **HK dollars** (1...

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13190726 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Volatile \$A need not be all bad news By Jenny Prabhu and Gerald Stanley
CANBERRA TIMES, ST ed, p66
October 08, 2000
JOURNAL CODE: WCTS LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 409

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... gives 'interbank' access to personal investors and small-to-medium corporates.

The primary advantage of **trading** interbank is price.

A bank's spread between **bid** and **offer** prices, which is its commission, is around 30 **points** to **convert** **currency** - interbank charges are about three to 10 **points**. **Trading** Margin FX will involve signing a contract and a minimum deposit of \$10,000 as...

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02440591 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Hong Kong shares sharply lower, testing 7,300, on higher rates
AFX (AP)
June 08, 1998 5:0
JOURNAL CODE: WAXA LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 259

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... but the market was soon dragged down by the sharp upward movement of the interbank- **offered** rates, which attracted short **selling** in the spot and futures market.

He said foreign funds have been **selling** Hong Kong heavily recently, then **converting** their assets to U.S. **dollars** from Hong Kong **dollars**.

The market's initial support of 7,300 **points** could be broken today and 7,000 could be tested in the near future given...

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TRADER COM NV
Disclosure Co No: T671098750
Company Status: Active

Exchange: NMS
Ticker Symbol: TRDR
Location of Incorporation: NETHERLANDS

Primary SIC Code: 7375
Other SIC Codes: 2721

Description of Business:
PROVIDES CONSUMER-TO-CONSUMER AND BUSINESS-TO-CONSUMER TRANSACTIONS
THROUGH OUR PRINT AND ONLINE CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PROPTOTIES.

Full record with Footnotes in Fmt 9

Management Discussion:
...identically, our presentation may not be comparable to similarly titled measures presented by other companies.
Selling, general and administrative-- **Non - cash** compensation expense Concurrent with our Initial Public **Offering** in April 2000, the share appreciation rights component of Units granted under our 1998 Equity **Incentive** Plan automatically became exercisable options, subject only to vesting requirements. The impact of this change on our financial statements was to **convert** **cash** -based compensation expense to non- **cash** compensation expense. We have, therefore, reclassified all non-cash charges related to all of our...

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COMPUTERIZED AUCTION SYSTEM USING MULTIPLE PURCHASE MEDIA
SYSTEME DE VENTE AUX ENCHERES INFORMATISE UTILISANT PLUSIEURS SUPPORTS
D'ACHAT

Legal Representative:

VIKSNINS Ann S (agent), Schwegman, Lundberg, Woessner & Kluth, P.O. Box
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Patent and Priority Information (Country, Number, Date):

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Detailed Description

Detailed Description

... variations of the present invention.

For example, the systems and methods described above have used
incentive reward points or media as medium of exchange, ...For
example, the systems and methods of the invention can apply equally well
to an auction system in which each participant sees the current bid
amounts in a local currency. The auction system automatically
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converts the local currency to a uniform " auction " currency in
the same manner as described above with respect to the conversion of
reward points or media.

The terminology used in this application is meant to include all of these
...

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INTERNATIONAL CAPITAL MARKETS: Recovering Brazil in E700m issue

RICHARD LAPPER, KHOZEM MERCHANT

Financial Times, London Edition 1 ED, P 30

Friday, July 9, 1999

DOCUMENT TYPE: Stories; NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE:

FULLTEXT

Word Count: 448

...15bn is owed by the private sector.

Next year's projected amortisations of more than Dollars 30bn are also
mainly the responsibility of private companies.

The bond was priced to yield 600 basis points over the BTAN.

Bankers said converted into dollars, the pricing was equivalent to a
spread of 670 basis points over Treasury bonds.

Its existing 5-year Dollars 3bn offering, Brazil's first offering
since the Real crisis in January, is trading at about 740 basis points
over Treasuries. Yesterday's offering tightened by five basis points...

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Six FRN issues raise 1.22 billion dollars / Eurodollar market

MAGGIE URRY

Financial Times, Section F2. ED, P 29

Tuesday, March 12, 1985

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
Word Count: 986

...an eight-year life and pays six month Libor, refixed monthly. Fees are 35 basis points , but the bonds were trading well inside that, bid at 99.90.

As well as all the action in floaters, a couple of convertible issues appeared. Goldman Sachs led a 15 year dollars 100 m issue for St Paul Companies, the US financial services business. This proved attractive...

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0002534835 BOCBKACAEVFT
International Capital Markets: New twist to Swedish Dollars 700m floater
MAGGIE URRY
Financial Times, P 32
Friday, November 23, 1984
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSPAPER LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
Word Count: 636

...tapped the Eurodollar bond market yesterday. The Austrian Bank fur Arbeit und Wirtschaft launched a Dollars 75m FRN with a 15-year maturity, paying 1/8 per cent over six-month Libor. Total fees are 120 basis points, and the bonds were bid at a discount of 85 basis points , just outside the 75 basis point selling concession. Lead manager is Kidder Peabody with Mitsubishi Trust and Banking the co-lead.

Yamaichi International launched a two-tranche convertible for Yamaichi Securities. Each part raises Dollars 20m. The first has a 15-year life, the second a 10-year life. Both...

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The business of tax software
Anonymous
Journal of Accountancy v186 n3 PP: 22 Sep 1998
ISSN: 0021-8448 JRNL CODE: JAC
WORD COUNT: 372 LINE COUNT: 34

Accounting & Tax DB_1971-2001/Dec W4
...TEXT: at least one major vendor-Pencil Pushersdecided to call it quits, closing its business and selling its customer list to CCH, publisher of ProSystem fx. CCH says it plans to fold the product and is offering Pencil Pusher's customers incentives to convert next year to ProSystem fx. And in a surprise move, one giant of the industry-Intuit, publisher of ProSeries-acquired another giant-Lacerte-for \$400 million in cash . Although Intuit'says it plans to continue the Lacerte brand, if Intuit's past acquisitions...

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PACESETTER HOMES INC

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...leased at December 31, 1990 and February 27, 1991, respectively. At these vacancy rates, the **cash** requirements for operating expenses and debt service exceed the rental receipts generated by the project. The Company is currently **offering incentives** and other programs to attract tenants to the project. In addition, the Company is considering **converting** and **selling** 96 units as condominiums. The current debt structure on the 330-unit apartment would require lender cooperation to accomplish this **conversion**.

The senior citizen projects were constructed by the Company during 1987. These projects have been...

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CENDANT CORP.

SALOMON SMITH BARNEY

MILLMAN, M.

NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: April 16, 01

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This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...diluted) vs. 769 million a year ago. Shares increased as a result of the prides **conversion** (61 million shares) and the equity **offering** (46 million shares) in mid 1Q01.

Because of SFAS 133, **non - cash** charges from the change in accounting for derivative will be partially offset from a gain in the reclass of investment securities to **trading** securities. Also, CD will benefit from unexercised rights relating to the Prides' settlement. While the...

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TEXT:

...of common stock at a conversion
price equal to the lower of the average closing bid prices on the five
trading days preceding May 30, 1997 or 70% of the average closing bid
prices on the five trading days preceding the date of the conversion of
such notes. Co. has recorded a deferred charge of approximately
\$274,000 associated with the 30% discount from market to be realized
upon conversion. Co. also recorded non - cash deferred financing costs
of
\$11,500 in connection with the issuance of the warrants to...

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upon conversion . Co. also recorded non - cash deferred financing costs
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TEXT:

...s Common Stock on
October 13, 1995 (\$3.375) or 85% of the average closing bid price of
the Company's Common Stock for the five trading days prior to the
conversion date. The Company has the right to demand conversion of the
Debentures and any accrued interest on or after April 13, 1997. The
Company also has the right to redeem Debentures submitted for
conversion for an amount determined under a formula related to the
market price of the shares which would otherwise be issued upon
conversion. In conjunction with this offering, the Company incurred
both cash and noncash issuance costs totaling \$1,190,000. These
issuance costs are being amortized as a component of interest expense
over the term of the Debentures. Upon the conversion of the Debentures,
the related unamortized deferred financing costs are charged to paid-in
capital...

2/3,K/24 (Item 9 from file: 545)
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08751709
American Biogenetics Sciences - History & Debt
MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, HISTORY & DEBT
Moody's Investors Service
NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: November 7, 98

INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 3404934, PAGE 1 OF 3, TEXT/TABLE PAGE
This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...s Common Stock on
October 13, 1995 (\$3.375) or 85% of the average closing bid price of
the Company's Common Stock for the five trading days prior to the
conversion date. The Company has the right to demand conversion of the
Debentures and any accrued interest on or after April 13, 1997. The
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the related unamortized deferred financing costs are charged to paid-in
capital...

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American Biogenetics Sciences - History & Debt
MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE, HISTORY & DEBT
Moody's Investors Service
NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: August 26, 98
INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 3295137, PAGE 1 OF 3, TEXT/TABLE PAGE
This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...s Common Stock on
October 13, 1995 (\$3.375) or 85% of the average closing bid price of
the Company's Common Stock for the five trading days prior to the
conversion date. The Company has the right to demand conversion of the
Debentures and any accrued interest on or after April 13, 1997. The
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conversion for an amount determined under a formula related to the
market price of the shares which would otherwise be issued upon
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over the term of the Debentures. Upon the conversion of the Debentures,
the related unamortized deferred financing costs are charged to paid-in
capital...

2/3,K/26 (Item 11 from file: 545)
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08342713
GreenMan Technologies, Inc. - History & Debt
MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE.
Moody's Investors Service
NEW YORK (STATE OF)

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

DATE: June 13, 98

INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 3275668, PAGE 3 OF 4, TEXT/TABLE PAGE

This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...of common stock at a conversion price equal to the lower of the average closing **bid** price on the five **trading** days preceding May 30, 1997 or 70% of the average closing **bid** price on the five **trading** days preceding the date of the **conversion** of such notes. The Co. has recorded a deferred charge of approximately \$274,000 associated with the 30% discount from market to be realized upon **conversion**. The Co. also recorded **non - cash** deferred financing costs of \$11,500 in connection with the issuance of the warrants to...

2/3,K/27 (Item 12 from file: 545)

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08245296

American Biogenetics Sciences - History & Debt

MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE.

Moody's Investors Service

NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: May 16, 98

INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 3261846, PAGE 1 OF 3, TEXT/TABLE PAGE

This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...s Common Stock on

October 13, 1995 (\$3.375) or 85% of the average closing **bid** price of the Company's Common Stock for the five **trading** days prior to the **conversion** date. The Company has the right to demand **conversion** of the Debentures and any accrued interest on or after April 13, 1997. The Company also has the right to redeem Debentures submitted for **conversion** for an amount determined under a formula related to the market price of the shares which would otherwise be issued upon **conversion**. In conjunction with this **offering**, the Company incurred both **cash** and **noncash** issuance costs totaling \$1,190,000. These issuance costs are being amortized as a component of interest expense over the term of the Debentures. Upon the **conversion** of the Debentures, the related unamortized deferred financing costs are charged to paid-in capital...

2/3,K/28 (Item 13 from file: 545)

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GreenMan Technologies, Inc. - History & Debt

MOODY'S INVESTORS SERVICE.

Moody's Investors Service

NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: February 28, 98

INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 3240304, PAGE 2 OF 3, TEXT/TABLE PAGE

This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...of common stock at a conversion price equal to the lower of the average closing bid price on the five trading days preceding May 30, 1997 or 70% of the average closing bid price on the five trading days preceding the date of the conversion of such notes. The Co. has recorded a deferred charge of approximately \$274,000 associated with the 30% discount from market to be realized upon conversion. The Co. also recorded non - cash deferred financing costs of \$11,500 in connection with the issuance of the warrants to...

2/3,K/29 (Item 14 from file: 545)
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06998643
Banamex - Company Report
MERRILL LYNCH CAPITAL MARKETS
Pallicer, B.I., et al
NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: August 29, 96
INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 1782782, PAGE 1 OF 6, TEXT/TABLE PAGE
This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...debentures
maturing in 1999 for 11% convertible debentures maturing in 2003. Simultaneously to the exchange offer, Banamex placed \$100 million of 11% convertible debentures maturing in 2003 for cash settlement. The issue was priced at a spread to U.S. Treasury securities of 575 basis points, at which time the 7% debentures were trading at a spread of about 365 basis points.

The Banamex 11s due '03 provide for...

2/3,K/30 (Item 15 from file: 545)
DIALOG(R)File 545:Investext(R)
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06340309
New World Infrastructure - Company Report
BEAR, STEARNS & CO., INC.
Debrah, Y.
NEW YORK (STATE OF)

DATE: May 28, 96
INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 1744171, PAGE 3 OF 3, TEXT PAGE
This is a(n) COMPANY report.

TEXT:

...sheet. Negative factors incorporated in the rating include NWI's increasing reliance on less predictable cash flows from PRC toll-road projects, as well as its holding company structure and substantial subsidiary/project level debt.

CB OFFER AN ATTRACTIVE ALTERNATIVE OF PLAYING EQUITY

At their current level of 99.50, the converts are trading at a

conversion premium of 15.1% and **offer** a yield to maturity of 5%. The **converts** **offer** the following advantages over the common stock:

* The current yield of 5% provides **convert** holders with 500 basis points in incremental yield over the dividendless common stock.

* At a **conversion** premium of 15.1%, the break-even for the **converts** (the amount of time to recoup the premium given the incremental yield) is 2.8...

2/3,K/31 (Item 16 from file: 545)
DIALOG(R)File 545:Investext(R)
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01248237
Machinery Industry Convertibles - Industry Report
DEAN WITTER REYNOLDS
Young, R.
NEW YORK

DATE: May 1, 90
INVESTEXT(tm) REPORT NUMBER: 1008300, PAGE 1 OF 2, TEXT/TABLE PAGE
This is a(n) INDUSTRY report.

TEXT:

...rated Trinity Industries (Leasing) convertible. The MRN zero provides substantial downside protection because it is **selling** within 10-15% of investment value based on its five-year put.

If Saint Gobain **offer** succeeds, Norton bondholders will likely lose the June coupon payment. Based on Norton's recent price of \$89 per share, the **convertible** would be worth its 160 **conversion** value less about 3 3/8 points of accrued interest. It was recently quoted at parity (**conversion** value) less two **points** **bid** , less one point **offered** .

With a June 1 coupon payment date and May 15 record date, the actual timing of the **cash** tender will determine whether **convert** holders will be entitled to the next coupon. Conversion before June 1 would normally result in forfeiture of the coupon. The purchase **offer** began April 27 and will expire May 24, 1990, unless extended. Based on limited available...

2/3,K/32 (Item 1 from file: 553)
DIALOG(R)File 553:Wilson Bus. Abs. FullText
(c) 2001 The HW Wilson Co. All rts. reserv.

03830462 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BWBA98080462 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Tax software put to the test.

Romney, Marshall

Spilker, Brian; Worsham, Ron

Journal of Accountancy (J Account) v. 186 no3 (Sept. '98) p. 22-4+

LANGUAGE: English

WORD COUNT: 2203

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

... least one major vendor--Pencil Pushers--decided to call it quits,

closing its business and **selling** its customer list to CCH, publisher of ProSystem fx. CCH says it plans to fold the product and is **offering** Pencil Pusher's customers **incentives** to **convert** next year to ProSystem fx. And in a surprise move, one giant of the industry--Intuit, publisher of ProSeries--acquired another giant--Lacerte--for \$400 million in **cash**. Although Intuit says it plans to continue the Lacerte brand, if Intuit's past acquisitions...

2/3,K/33 (Item 1 from file: 570)
DIALOG(R)File 570:Gale Group MARS(R)
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01302611 Supplier Number: 43175468 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Ford to up cash on conversions
Automotive News, v0, n0, p1
July 27, 1992
ISSN: 0005-1551
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Tabloid; Trade
Word Count: 117

Ford also is expected to continue **offering** extended free floorplanning to dealers on the chassis, which is why it isn't fully **matching** Chevrolet.

Both manufacturers already **offer** \$1,300 consumer rebates on the vans in addition to the dealer **cash**. GMC Truck's version of the July 17-Sept. 24 dealer **incentive** on **conversions** pays \$750 per unit until a dealer hits a quota and \$1,500 per unit...

2/3,K/34 (Item 1 from file: 609)
DIALOG(R)File 609:Bridge World Markets
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01663805 BRQVWXT (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
FULL: Orchid BioSciences Q1 oper losses 31c shr vs \$14c (B)
BRIDGENEWS GLOBAL MARKETS
Thursday, May 10, 2001 13:08 GMT
JOURNAL CODE: MAR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 2,103

...sale of
6,900,000 shares of common stock sold in Orchid's Initial Public Offering,
as if this **offering** and **conversion** had occurred as of January 1, 2000.

(2) **Non - cash** operating expenses include compensation and research and development charges from equity issuances and amortization of acquired intangible assets, including goodwill, in the following categories;

Selling , general and administrative	\$ 1,503	\$
1,078		
Research and development	1,369	46
Total non...		

2/3,K/35 (Item 2 from file: 609)
DIALOG(R)File 609:Bridge World Markets
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01542270 BQQNXZQ (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

FULL: eRoom System Tech FY oper losses \$4.06 mln vs \$2.59 mln (B)

BRIDGENEWS GLOBAL MARKETS

Tuesday, April 3, 2001 10:42 GMT

JOURNAL CODE: MAR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 1,046

...ATTRIBUTABLE TO COMMON

STOCKHOLDERS WAS PRIMARILY DUE TO AN INCREASE OF \$5,370,682 IN NON - CASH
DIVIDENDS RELATED TO CONVERTIBLE PREFERRED STOCK THAT OCCURRED UPON THE
MANDATORY CONVERSION OF ALL OUTSTANDING PREFERRED STOCK UPON THE CLOSE OF
OUR

INITIAL PUBLIC OFFERING , AND SECONDARILY AS A RESULT OF THE ONE-TIME
RESTRUCTURING CHARGE AND THE INCREASE IN NON - CASH COMPENSATION EXPENSE
AND

SELLING , GENERAL AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES NOTED ABOVE.

"The past year was one of the most challenging...

2/3,K/36 (Item 1 from file: 610)

DIALOG(R)File 610:Business Wire

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00375067 20001002276B1498 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Alyssa Milano, Other Top SafeSearching.Com Stars To Appear on New Phone and
Internet Payment System Card-SafeSearching.Com & Pocketpass.com Ink Pact To
Expand Reach and Offerings of GenY Entertainment Portal

Business Wire

Monday, October 2, 2000 08:38 EDT

JOURNAL CODE: BW LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 595

...services that either
were not possible before or could not profitably be sold."

Pocketpass.com offers Internet users a secure, seamless, immediate and
anonymous pre-paid payment system allowing cash , checks, credit cards and
even

pre-paid telephone time and promotional awards to be converted into
Internet

financial transactions ideal for auctions , peer-to-peer,
consumer-to-consumer

transactions and micropayments as well as for purchases at...

2/3,K/37 (Item 1 from file: 620)

DIALOG(R)File 620:EIU:Viewswire

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3047928

Africa finance: Would a regional stockmarket for West Africa work?

COUNTRY: AFRICA

JOURNAL: EIU Viewswire - October 5, 2000

WORD COUNT: 529

...border trades in CFA francs, naira and cedi, we could denominate these
shares in US dollars until such time as we have a common West African
currency ."

She points out that the NSE and the BRVM already use the same automatic

trading , clearance and settlement system, designed to override the language obstacle by automatically **translating** buy/sell **offers** between English and French. Thus the sole technical obstacle to future integration of the NSE...

2/3,K/38 (Item 1 from file: 629)
DIALOG(R)File 629:EIU:BUS. Newsletters
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3207951
Safety in numbers?
COUNTRY: AFRICA
JOURNAL: Business Africa - October 1, 2000
WORD COUNT: 526

...border trades in CFA francs, naira and cedi, we could denominate these shares in US **dollars** until such time as we have a common West African **currency** ."

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2/3,K/39 (Item 1 from file: 632)
DIALOG(R)File 632:Chicago Tribune
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09677072
BACK IN BLOOMINGTON, IT'S A CORVETTE SUMMER
Chicago Tribune (CT) - FRIDAY, June 26, 1998
By: Marla Hart. Special to the Tribune.
Edition: NORTH SPORTS FINAL Section: FRIDAY Page: 62
Word Count: 726

...in the dust. A 1967 red L88 coupe with its original window sticker and 12 **miles** on the odometer will be up for **bid** at the Premiere **Auction** , at 8:30 p.m. Saturday. Parker says, "We expect it to sell for a million **dollars** ."

Other museum-quality cars at the **auction** include the 1955 white **convertible** first-ever V-8 and a mid-'50s **convertible** owned by Zora Duntov, an engineer and racer hired by GM to put pizazz into...

2/3,K/40 (Item 1 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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02859732 Supplier Number: 45800531 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
CGS: CGS to demonstrate new banking software at EUROFOREX 95
M2 Presswire, pN/A
Sept 20, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 646

... senior level in banks. It assists in making decisions on asset and liability profiles and **offers** both risk management and scenario building capabilities. To achieve this, ALMII brings together information streams

from multiple trading systems, converts trading activity into cash flows, analyses exposure and builds models against scenarios. ALMII can also calculate interest and exchange rate exposure, concentration risk and other risk points . ALMII is a second generation product and is already in use in a number of...

2/3,K/41 (Item 1 from file: 647)
DIALOG(R)File 647:CMP Computer Fulltext
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00651559 CMP ACCESSION NUMBER: CRN19890925S3527
Move to chains adds to continued margin erosion
PATRICIA KINLEY
COMPUTER RESELLER NEWS, 1989, n 334, 93
PUBLICATION DATE: 890925
JOURNAL CODE: CRN LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
SECTION HEADING: CHANNEL
WORD COUNT: 507

... ourselves with things like! the quota systems, goals and things like key city funds. Any incentive dollars program! will get factored into the street prices. A vendor comes up with a new program and you see it translated into trading the next week."

Many chain executives point to the growth of market-development funds and the creative ways resellers are turning soft dollars into price reductions.

"Margin erosion has to do with vendor soft dollars being converted into hard dollars ," said Vic Leventhal, president of ComputerLand Corp. "How can you be competitive when you have to bid at cost?

"If you get six points in soft dollars you can translate that to margin," he added. "I could show you five bids -from some of the premier guys in the industry who say they don't do..."

2/3,K/42 (Item 1 from file: 660)
DIALOG(R)File 660:Federal News Service
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00189114 SUBFILE: FNS
TITLE: PREPARED STATEMENT OF
MR. KEVIN CALLWOOD
VICE PRESIDENT
CORPORATE COUNCIL ON AFRICA

BEFORE THE HOUSE INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE
INTERNATIONAL ECONOMIC POLICY AND TRADE SUBCOMMITTEE

SUBJECT-REVIEW OF THE OVERSEAS PRIVATE INVESTMENT CORPORATION
AUTHORIZE, PRIVATIZE, REFORM, OR TERMINATE?

TUESDAY, MARCH 18, 1997
SECTION HEADING: Capitol Hill hearing
DATELINE: Washington dateline general news
FILING DATE: 970318 YEAR: 1997

APPROXIMATE WORD COUNT: 002493 APPROXIMATE LINE COUNT: 00226

...TEXT: sit alone across the table from sovereign governments to negotiate terms on political risk or currency convertibility while their international competitorshave national trading agencies and other government bodies at their side offering

a full array of guarantees and **incentives** . American companies -- their shareholders and their workers -- deserve no less than the full faith and...

2/3,K/43 (Item 1 from file: 705)
DIALOG(R)File 705:The Orlando Sentinel
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09770182
COMPLEX OPTIONS MAKE MANAGEMENT OF MONEY RISKIER
Orlando Sentinel (OS) - SUNDAY, June 19, 1994
By: David J. Lynch, Orange County (Calif.) Register
Edition: 3 STAR Section: BUSINESS Page: E1
Word Count: 1,719

CAPTION:
...Difficult to acquire from a handful of issuers.
Since then - More than 6,000 issuers **offer** dizzying arrays of interest rates, annual charges and **incentives** .

CURRENCY
In 1969 - **Conversion** rates fixed by government.
Since then - Around-the-clock **trading** lets markets set rates.
GOLD
In 1969 - Individuals prohibited from owning gold in bulk. Price...

2/3,K/44 (Item 1 from file: 709)
DIALOG(R)File 709:Richmond Times-Disp.
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08592019
LET TECHNOLOGY DO THE TALKING INTERNET PROVIDES TWO-WAY COMMUNICATION THAT CONNECTS WITH CUSTOMERS
Richmond Times-Dispatch (RI) - Monday April 1, 1996
By: Kelly O'Keefe Kelly O'Keefe is president of O'Keefe Marketing Inc. in Richmond.
Edition: None
Section: None
Page: 10

Word Count: 1,189

... and go to a yearlong summary of its performance, updated to the hour. Attend an **auction** in Paris from your home in Richmond, where your keyed-in **bid** appears in French to the auctioneer with **dollars converted** to francs at the prevailing rate. You can even cozy up to your computer and listen to your chief executive officer give a live address from 1,000 **miles** away.

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00478761

STRATEGIC ANALYSIS OF END-USER ISSUES IN THE U.S. RFID MARKET: Education Strategies (3/3)

Main Title: STRATEGIES AND ISSUES WITHIN THE RADIO FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION
EQUIPMENT MARKET
Pub. Date: October 1997
Source: Frost & Sullivan
Telephone: US (415) 961 - 1000; London 071 730 3438
Word Count: 331 (1 pp.)
Language: English

Country: UNITED STATES
Industry: INDUSTRIAL AND MANUFACTURING

...specific niche will put a seal of approval on the technology. Manufacturers should think about offering incentives to install systems. A distributor selling a certain number, tags sales reaching certain levels, and end users buying the system all could translate into extra dollars. To the consumer there will have to initially be incentives to use tags. Lower costs for tolls if using a tag, a few cents less...

2/3,K/46 (Item 1 from file: 781)
DIALOG(R)File 781:ProQuest Newsstand
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04500857 AUAS320194 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Popped corks usher in euro age
European nations lock in rates as the last step before monetary union
Edmund L. Andrews
Austin American-Statesman
Friday, January 1, 1999
DOCUMENT TYPE: Newspaper, Medium LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE:
FULLTEXT
Word Count: 1,020

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

...Jan. 1, 2002, European banks and stock exchanges are now required to carry out all noncash transactions in euros.

In London's financial center, more than 30,000 people will be working through the weekend to reprogram computers and trading systems on the basis of the currency values agreed upon Thursday. Across Europe, banks are converting their systems to offer euro-denominated bank accounts immediately for any customers who want them.

Though national currencies like...

2/3,K/47 (Item 1 from file: 790)
DIALOG(R)File 790:Tax Notes Today
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00707613

96 TNT 100-54 (MAY 21, 1996)
FULL TEXT: IRS PUBLICATION 1102, 'UNIFORM ISSUE LIST,' (PART 1 of 2).
ELECTRONIC CITATION: 96 TNT 100-54 (MAY 21, 1996)
DATE : 19941101 (November 01, 1994)
DOCUMENT TYPE:
CONTENT UNIFIER: IRS Publications
CONTENT SPECIFIER: 19941101
CITE(s): Publication 1102

CORPORATE SOURCE: Internal Revenue Service

TITLE:

UNIFORM ISSUE LIST

CODE CLASSIFICATION: Miscellaneous
GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION: United States
DOCUMENT NO: Doc 96-13333 (266 pages)
AVAILABILITY: Full Text length is 10289 lines

TEXT:

...1273.01-03 De Minimis Rule
1273.02-00 Issue Price
1273.02-01 Publicly Offered Debt Not Issued for Property
1273.02-02 Other Property Not Issued for Property
1273.02-03 Debt Issued for Property Where There Is Public
Trading
1273.02-04 Points and Other Cash Payments
1273.02-05 Convertible Debt
1273.02-06 Investment Units
1273.02-07 Other Cases
1274.00-00 Determination...

2/3,K/48 (Item 2 from file: 790)
DIALOG(R)File 790:Tax Notes Today
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00459408

93 TNT 84-44 (APRIL 16, 1993)

IRS RELEASES UPDATED UNIFORM ISSUE LIST.

ELECTRONIC CITATION: 93 TNT 84-44 (APRIL 16, 1993)

DATE : 19930108 (January 08, 1993)

DOCUMENT TYPE:

CONTENT UNIFIER: IRS Publications

CONTENT SPECIFIER: 19930108

SHORT NAME: Uniform Issue List

CITE(s): Publication 1102 (Rev. 8-92)

Publication 1102 (Rev. 8-92)

CORPORATE SOURCE: Internal Revenue Service; Office of Chief Counsel

TITLE:

Uniform Issue List

CODE CLASSIFICATION: Miscellaneous
GEOGRAPHIC LOCATION: United States
DOCUMENT NO: Doc 93-560 (232 pages)
AVAILABILITY: Full Text length is 20270 lines

TEXT:

...1273.01-03 De Minimis Rule
1273.02-00 Issue Price
1273.02-01 Publicly Offered Debt Not Issued for
Property
1273.02-02 Other Property Not Issued for Property
1273.02-03 Debt Issued for Property Where There
Is Public Trading
1273.02-04 Points and Other Cash Payments
1273.02-05 Convertible Debt
1273.02-06 Investment Units
1273.02-07 Other Cases
1274.00-00 Determination...

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Degree: PH.D.
Year: 1996
Corporate Source/Institution: CORNELL UNIVERSITY (0058)
Source: VOLUME 57/06-A OF DISSERTATION ABSTRACTS INTERNATIONAL.
PAGE 2667. 231 PAGES

The development of regulatory strategies to reduce concentrations of ambient ozone have involved enormous expenditures over the last twenty-five years, but has produced little discernible **benefits**. This paper evaluates the development of this policy in the Northeast and suggest measures for regulatory reform. These measures are derived from a detailed analysis that compares the current regulatory strategy to an alternative strategy that meets the same environmental standards at a lower cost.

The development of regulatory policy can be characterized as following a procedure of uniform regulations and uniform cost burden. This framework falls short of accounting for the spatial effects and reactivities by species on ozone formation. The development of an analytical method that combines the science of ozone formation with the economics of emission control programs shows that the cost effectiveness of emission control strategies can be significantly improved.

The combined framework is applied to the northeastern region of the USA, with a primary focus on the Greater New York Metropolitan Area (GNYMA). The results indicate a combined cost savings of 80 percent for New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey over existing regulatory proposals to achieve the same reduction of ozone in GNYMA. Cost savings are achieved through weighted emissions **trading**, and the emission weights act like a **currency exchange** to relate different sources of emissions to a common measure of ozone. Emission reductions selected under weighted emissions **trading** focus on the control of mobile and off-road sources along the eastern seaboard and elevated emissions from utility and industrial boilers in upwind regions to the south and west of the GNYMA.

The efficient strategies suggest a more regionally adaptive control strategy is preferable. This requires the establishment of regional air pollution control districts that act in concert to meet environmental objectives, there are potentially large litigation costs to drawing boundaries for the control districts. Overcoming these indirect costs of regulation requires is legitimate if the potential cost savings are large. This dissertation shows that this is the case for the Northeast if one considers strategies that go beyond existing federal controls.

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AN EMPIRICAL INVESTIGATION INTO THE APPROPRIATE FOREIGN EXCHANGE RATE
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This study evaluates alternatives of **exchange** rate regimes or arrangements to predict the most appropriate arrangement that is economically and politically feasible for the Gulf Cooperation Council (G. C. C.) States to adopt for the purpose of coordinating their **exchange** rate policies.

The findings of this study indicate that pegging G. C. C. currencies to the Special Drawing Rights (SDR) basket would be the most economically and politically appropriate **exchange** rate arrangement for the G. C. C.

States. Moreover, the economic characteristics of these states indicate that they are not ready at their current stage to form a full monetary union. However, these states are economically qualified for **several** forms of partial **monetary** integration, such as an **exchange** rate coordination arrangement, a payments union, a parallel currency, a reserve-pooling arrangement, and capital market integration.

This study also concludes that the expected costs and **benefits** to the G. C. C. States of the formation of an **exchange** rate coordination arrangement are limited to those resulting from the creation of a full monetary union. This is especially true because of the slow growth of intra-G. C. C. trade. Several important steps are suggested in this study to enhance this trade. These steps are also very likely to result in a faster realization of the **benefits** of this arrangement. For the time being, however, the adoption of such an arrangement is still very important. This is because it represents an initial commitment by the G. C. C. States to work together towards more monetary integration and perhaps towards the formation of a single currency area at a later stage when the necessary conditions are met.

The most obvious policy implication of this arrangement is that once these states agree to fix their **exchange** rates, then each country will be very limited in using its own **exchange** rates as a monetary instrument for correcting any imbalance or deficit in its balance of payments. Another implication is that these states should be prepared to subsidize or finance such an imbalance or deficit of another member when that member is unable to correct its imbalance or finance its deficit through other policies or means.

For the distribution of costs and **benefits** that result from the economic cooperation among these states, it has been pointed out in this study that political compromise is a very important element of this distribution, especially because these states are not equal in terms of economic dominance and/or economic development. Moreover, this study also concludes that the most appropriate method of compensation for the G. C. C. States regarding the uneven distribution of costs and **benefits** is the method currently being used. Under this method, compensation is made through fiscal **incentives** and policies.

In conclusion, the cooperation strategy of the G. C. C. States' for achieving monetary and economic integration, which has been adopted by the G. C. C. since its formation, is endorsed in this study. This is because the one-step or centralization strategy of monetary integration is not consistent with the political systems of these states. (Abstract shortened by UMI.)

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I. **Exchange** rate and term structure dynamics and the pricing of derivative securities. We develop a two-factor international general equilibrium model of **exchange** rates and the term structures of interest rates in two countries. The two state variables, which are the same for both countries, are the instantaneous interest rates in the two countries.

The term structures are correlated through an explicit dependence of the yields of each country's bonds on the interest rate in the other country. We present a partial differential equation for valuing **exchange** -rate and interest-rate sensitive contingent claims, and we derive closed-form expressions for **discount** bonds, forward **exchange** rates and futures **exchange** rates.

II. The dynamics and the term structure of risk premia in foreign **exchange** markets. We develop a three-factor continuous-time model that provides an endogenous characterization of the dynamics, the term structure and the predictability at various horizons of risk premia in foreign **exchange** and bond markets, and of the interrelations between the risk premia of these markets. The model also provides a full characterization of the stochastic processes followed by the **exchange** rate, the term structures of interest rates earned in the two currencies, and of the interdependencies between these processes. We find a class of discrete-time processes that converge in distribution to the continuous-time processes of the theoretical model, which (1) facilitates the intuitive reasoning about the economic implications of the model, (2) provides an interesting econometric specification that can be easily compared with the traditional empirical literature on foreign **exchange** returns and (3) makes easier the pricing of derivative securities by Monte Carlo simulation. The first- and second-order moments of the forward **exchange** risk premia appear to be well described by the discrete-time processes derived from our theoretical model. Finally, we show that the cross-sectional restrictions imposed on the term structure of forward risk premia by our model cannot be rejected.

III. On the characterization of **exchange** rate dynamics. This paper presents a broad class of parametric models of the dynamics of **exchange** rates between **different** **currencies**, the instantaneous interest rates earned in these currencies and the interrelationships between these various processes. Then, we characterize a class of discrete-time processes that converge in distribution to the continuous-time processes of the theoretical model as the length of the discrete time intervals goes to zero. Finally, proceeding as if the data were generated from these discrete-time models, we show how to obtain maximum likelihood estimates of the parameters of the models.

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THE SPECIFICATION AND IDENTIFICATION OF "NEWS" IN THE MONETARY VIEW OF EXCHANGE RATE DETERMINATION (INTERNATIONAL FINANCE, FOREIGN EXCHANGE , MONETARY MANAGEMENT)

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This study examines **several** issues concerning the **monetary** view of **exchange** rate determination. This view suggests that **exchange** rates are determined in direct proportion to the ratio of money supplies between two countries, and in inverse proportion to the ratio of money demands in the two **trading** countries. After reviewing the literature on the monetary view of **exchange** rates, this research **points** out three potential shortcomings of this approach. These shortcomings are as follows: First, an ex post method is used in the monetary approach to generate economic "news" in lieu of an ex ante method. An ex ante method may shed light on why

"news" measures have failed in prior studies that used the ex post methodology. Second, traditional models have confined themselves to only unanticipated changes in money supplies, real incomes, and nominal interest rates when predicting **exchange** rate movements. This study considers other potential variables that may play a role in the volatile behavior of **exchange** rates. Finally, most existing evidence conclude that the foreign **exchange** market is efficient, suggesting the insignificance of "news" in affecting the market forecasting error. But, our theoretical and empirical results suggest that this implication may be the result of misspecified models, in the sense that third country "news" has been excluded. This study considers the effects of third country "news" on the volatility of **exchange** rates in detail.

The empirical evidence obtained in the study suggests that the third country "news" and four additional "news" measures significantly increase the explanatory power of empirical specifications of the testable theoretical framework. This significance holds for both ordinary least squares and the more appropriate seemingly unrelated regression estimates.

This study advances our knowledge of **exchange** rate determination by filling three gaps in the literature on the monetary view. Defining "new" based on ex ante expectations, adding new variables to the model, and including third country "news" are all found to significantly improve the explanatory power of monetary models of **exchange** rate determination.

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The first chapter reviews the vast literature on currency substitution. We first observe that "currency substitution" is an imprecise concept, and therefore begin by proposing the distinction between currency substitutability--the ability and willingness of economic agents to satisfy their needs for a unit of account, medium of **exchange** and store of value with **different currencies**--and **currency** substitution--the equilibrium outcome of the process in which one currency replaces another. This distinction is useful since the theoretical and empirical literature often fails to recognize that one does not expect either one to imply the other. Data problems preventing a useful measurement of currency substitution are discussed and the available evidence is reviewed. This chapter also reviews the very large empirical literature attempting to estimate currency substitutability, by highlighting the problems of interpretation in the models that have been estimated. Finally, it considers the policy problems stemming from currency substitution and the ensuing instability of monetary aggregates.

The second chapter incorporates these currency substitution effects in a two-country general-equilibrium asset pricing model. As is documented extensively in chapter one, increased currency substitution leads to a higher instability of **exchange** rates and interest rates. This chapter addresses this issue from an empirical angle. Rather than estimating reduced form portfolio equations, we simulate a two-country cash-in-advance economy. However, we apply the cash-in-advance constraint only to a subset of goods in each country and allow for the rest to be paid with **credit** in either currency. This approach captures the institutional aspects of

currency substitution nicely and puts an upper bound to the degree of currency substitution. Simulation results for two pairs of countries--United States-United Kingdom and United Kingdom-France--show that this avenue is fruitful in tracking **exchange** rate moments observed in these countries and substantially improves upon the standard model.

The third chapter motivates money demand through the need to pay taxes with legal tender. One of the reasons why people hold money is that they are compelled to do so by governments. This chapter explores a model where money demand arises from the legal requirement to settle transactions with the government in cash. As an illustration, we simulate the model for Brazil during 1975-1992. We compare the performance of the model to generate the observed volatility in consumption velocity during 1975-86 (relatively low inflation) and 1987-1992 (the high-inflation years), and show that it differs substantially in the two subperiods.

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This research investigates the effect of taxes, transaction costs, and **auctions** on the quoted prices of short term Treasury securities. In each essay we identify a set of near substitute securities identical in all characteristics except with respect to the market imperfection under investigation. Using a simple no arbitrage approach, sharp predictions about the price differences between the **matching** sets of securities are derived by modelling closely the effect of taxes, transaction costs and **auction** induced liquidity changes on quoted prices.

The first essay examines the effect of taxes on the prices of a set of bonds with less than 12 months to maturity and portfolios of 6 and 12 months bills maturing respectively on the last coupon date and on the maturity date of the bond. The two portfolios yield identical pre-tax **cash** flows but markedly **different** after-tax **cash** flows and tax options to different classes of investors. The evidence suggests that short term Treasury securities prices are set by investors who benefit from the preferential tax treatment of long term capital gains and who assign significant value to the tax timing options conferred by the Tax Code.

The second essay investigates the effects of transaction costs and liquidity on the prices of bonds with less than 6 months to maturity and bills maturing on the same date. Although similar in all other respects, the two securities trade at markedly different volume and transaction costs. Using quotes from both Salomon and the New York Fed, the study supports the hypothesis that liquidity characteristics affect strongly the quotes and returns of short term Treasury securities. The investigation suggests also that composite quotations (Fed quotes) or individual dealers mid quote prices are biased measures of the market value of securities.

The third essay investigates the symmetry of **bid** and ask premiums and the extent to which seasoning and **auction** induced variations in the premiums biases the quoted prices. Systematic asymmetries in the quoted ask and **bid** premiums are documented, inducing significant biases in the mid quote as a measure of bill value. Further the biases differ significantly

between **auction** and non **auction** weeks. Bond or bill quote data that include a large number of **auction** week quotes are subject to severe biases. Alternative sampling procedures free of bias reversal are suggested.

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This dissertation studies the quality of privately issued paper money, by which we mean how well paper money serves the purpose of facilitating monetary **exchanges**. We show in a two-period asset pricing model that the conflict of interests under limited liability between the issuer and holders of private paper money could lead to an instability in the value of paper money, which depreciates its quality. We examine in detail, with the help of an antebellum banking data set constructed from state banking reports submitted to the Secretary of the Treasury, the historical episode of the American free banking era during which a number of state legislatures granted freedom of entry into the business of issuing paper currency. It is found that banks in these free banking states compared with those in the conventional chartered banking states tended to have lower capital to total liabilities ratios, higher stock to total assets ratios, as well as higher rates of bankruptcy, and that these free banking states had lower per capita currency circulations and higher per capita deposits with banks that were not allowed to issue currency. These systematic differences between free banking and chartered banking states are all consistent with the implications of our theoretical model. In light of the theory and empirical findings we resurrect a hitherto much neglected early strand of monetary thought that concerned itself with the vulnerability of private paper money as a species of **credit**, and clarify mistaken views of Adam Smith's much criticized recommendation of basing the supply of bank money on the discounting of real bills, commonly known as the real bills doctrine. The recent related literature of the so-called New Monetary Economics is critically evaluated. We also propose that a scarcity of **money** may arise if **different** media of **exchange** are less than perfectly substitutable among themselves, and confirm through a number of statistical tests that money scarcity constituted the cause of the American free banking movement.

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MACROECONOMIC DISTURBANCES AND ASSET INTERRELATIONSHIPS AFFECTING CHILEAN AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY FROM 1974 TO 1984 (INTERNATIONAL; MONETARY; OPEN ECONOMY)
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This research evaluates the impact of monetary policy, **exchange** rate policy and foreign shocks on the Chilean economy between 1974 and 1984, with particular emphasis on the agricultural and industrial sectors. The foreign shocks are changes in foreign industrial and agricultural prices, foreign income and foreign interest rates. It thus provides a testable framework for the analysis of the impact of macroeconomic changes on agriculture with special emphasis on financial markets. One of the main objectives of the research is to clarify whether the 1982 recession could have been avoided with **alternative monetary** and **exchange** rate policies and to what extent it was of external origin. The hypothesis of ineffectiveness of monetary policy in this small economy with an open capital and trade account is tested. The theoretical framework is constructed in the tradition of the portfolio approach and tested using quarterly data and OLS technique. Ex-post historical simulations are performed in order to evaluate the structural specifications of the model and to examine the response of the most important endogenous variables (sectoral output and prices) to changes in foreign and policy variables. It is concluded that the fixed **exchange** rate and the inactive monetary policy undertaken since 1979 hurt the Chilean economy. External shocks appeared to be a minor influence for the period 1979-1982. A sustained rate of growth of domestic **credit** at lower levels than the actual would have led to an expansion in output and provided a more stable economy. Evidence did not support that changes in net domestic **credit** are offset by changes in net foreign assets. However, increases in GNP lead to large reductions in foreign **exchange** due to the high marginal propensity to import and that nationals tend to invest in foreign assets as income increases. A gradual liberalization process would have been more appropriate. Most of the fall of GNP that took place between the end of 1981 and early 1983 seems have been the result of lack of confidence in the financial system and the economy.

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A STUDY OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE FUTURES MARKETS

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Conditions for futures markets to survive have been addressed through micro analysis. In pursuit of their objectives hedgers compare the relative volatility of either futures prices or of "basis" to that of spot prices for their decisions. Speculators seek markets which present fluctuating futures prices, wide "basis", low transaction costs and many cases of uncovered interest arbitrage.

Equilibrium pricing models are examined under the assumption of utility maximization by each market agent. Empirical tests of (1) whether hedgers have paid prices higher than expected for futures contracts, and (2) whether hedgers have realized sufficient hedging **benefits** in real transactions, suggest that hedgers present the dominant type of market agent in foreign **exchange** futures markets. Another empirical test of whether the hedged ratio exhibits a positive relationship with hedging

effectiveness shows mixed results.

Findings of this study further suggest that even if there were not "unexpected shocks" during hedging periods, futures rates still could not be expected to be at the same level as expected future spot rates.

Empirical tests made in the study support hypotheses of randomness of error terms and normally distributed unexpected shocks in foreign exchange futures markets. Unexpected shocks in foreign exchange futures markets of three currencies with quite different characteristics were found to be normally distributed, while "expected shocks" were found to be serially autocorrelated. Therefore "total shocks" can not be assumed to be normally distributed, as most past studies have done.

The concept of market efficiency in futures markets is analyzed by comparison with similar concepts, and new test methods are suggested for avoiding ambiguity problems. Three different empirical tests of market efficiency all strongly support efficiency of futures markets for the three foreign currencies studied.

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THE CHOICE OF AN OPTIMUM EXCHANGE CURRENCY REGIME FOR A DEVELOPING ECONOMY (THE CASE OF THE WEST AFRICAN MONETARY UNION)

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The adoption of a generalized float among the major currencies following the collapse of the Bretton Wood system, a growing worldwide inflation initiated in the sixties and the use of monetary policy as a tool of economic development in developing countries call for a reassessment of a number of developing countries' fixed single-currency peg as the best exchange currency regime in terms of promoting domestic monetary stability. The West African Monetary Union, which currency--the CFA franc--is currently pegged to the French franc, is an illustration of this issue.

The object of this study is then two-fold--One is to find the optimal exchange currency regime for the West African Monetary Union. The alternative exchange currency regimes investigated are: a crawling single-peg to the French franc, a fixed and a crawling trade-weighted basket peg. The optimum exchange currency regime is determined by comparing the net benefit of each alternative exchange currency regime relative to the current single currency peg to the French franc and by selecting the one with the highest net benefit relative to the single-peg currency regime. The net benefit for each currency regime is derived by evaluating on one hand its major cost reflected by the degree of monetary (in)dependence exercised by the monetary authorities of the developing countries in their attempt to control the domestic monetary aggregate; and on the other hand its major benefit is reflected by the degree of liquidity of the Union's domestic currency. The second aspect of this study consists in determining whether or not the real value of the Union's domestic currency has been stabilized during the floating era. Given that the reserve currency of the West African Monetary Union is the French franc and that, it is the French monetary authorities which manage the stabilization policy of the reserve currency of the Franc zone (and thereby of the currencies pegged to the French franc), the other aspect of

this study is to assess the performance of the French monetary authorities' intervention policy in the foreign **exchange** market. The link between these two aspects of the present study resides in the fact that a failure by the French monetary authorities to stabilize the real value of the CFA franc constitutes, for the Union, an additional cost in maintaining its current **exchange** currency regime.

The major empirical results show that: (1) the real value of the CFA franc have failed to be stabilized by the French monetary authorities despite their active management policy of the reserve currency (i.e., the French franc) in the foreign **exchange** market; (2) the optimum **exchange** currency regime for the West African Monetary Union is a fixed trade weighted basket peg.

The main conclusion of the paper is that the West African Monetary Union should abandon its current currency regime and adopt a fixed trade weighted **exchange** currency regime.

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This research is an empirical study of the Brazilian economic structure and the impact effect of macroeconomic stabilization policies. The short-run macroeconomic policy model used in this study is a non-linear dynamic system of 45 simultaneous equations, an equal number of endogenous variables, and 40 predetermined variables. The estimations were made using 28 annual observations for the period from 1948 to 1975.

The institutional context is presented together with the analysis of the government budget restraint flows from 1948 to 1976 in Chapter 2. This chapter also analyzes the growth of the banking system and defines the policy instruments available to the government.

The economy's assets are distributed among four sectors: private banks, private non-banks, federal government, and foreign. In Chapter 3 the markets for each of the considered financial assets are specified according to the portfolio approach and assumed in equilibrium. The statistical analysis of the OLS estimations as well as the economic relevancy of the estimated parameters determine the financial sector behavior equations candidates for the macroeconomic model. The same type of procedure is used in Chapter 4 to analyze the real sector of the economy.

In Chapter 5 the macroeconomic model is specified following the general equilibrium approach and estimated by the modified 2SLS method using principal components. In this model the stock of unborrowed high-powered money is an economic policy instrument determined endogenously by the government budget restraint equation. The economic policy instruments under government control are nominal taxes; nominal government expenditures, securities and subsidized loans to the private sector; the required reserve ratios on demand and time deposits; the **discount** rate; the interest rate on time deposits; and the foreign **exchange** rate. In all, considering the **different** forms of financing **monetary** and fiscal policy, there are 15 economic policy instruments in the model under government control. In the model there are a series of links between the financial and real sectors. The interest rate on government securities and **credit** availability are arguments of the private investment function. Real

disposable income appears in the private non-bank financial asset demand, the interest rate on time deposits appear in the private consumption function, and the government budget restraint equation also links the monetary and real sectors.

The policy conclusions in Chapter 6 follow from the net impact effects of the economic policy instruments in the reduced form equations estimated from the 2SLS estimation of the model. It is found that the net impact effects of monetary and fiscal policy depend on the form of financing through the government budget restraint equation. This is the first study for Brazil which has recognized and estimated the impact effects of economic policies according to the type of financing. The most powerful economic policies in relation to the impact effects on nominal aggregate demand and on prices are changes in government expenditures financed, in decreasing order of importance, by changes in the supply of unborrowed high-powered money, government securities, and government subsidized loans to the private sector.

The net impact effects of economic policies on the real sector are rather small. The most powerful effect on real income results from changes in government loans to the private sector financed by high-powered money. The next most powerful effects on real income result from changes in taxes and in government expenditures financed by high-powered money. Changes in government expenditures financed by high-powered money have the most powerful effect on the balance of trade and on the real quantity of money. It is also found that the effects of different economic policies on the output composition are different with larger or smaller participation of the government in the economy. In the last part of Chapter 6 fixed target policy models are discussed and five exercises are solved. These exercises show that economic policies are interdependent, i.e., the values of the policy instruments depend not only on the fixed targets but also on the set of instruments considered. They also provide a check on the capability of the used macroeconomic model to provide meaningful economic policy suggestions.

The introduction and a summary conclusion of this dissertation are presented in Chapter 1.

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On the " Multiple key currency gold - exchange standard" controversy:

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Schedule sensitivity in human operant behavior: Instructed versus shaped verbal behavior.

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ABSTRACT: Presses on left and right buttons by undergraduate students occasionally produced points exchangeable for money, according to a multiple random-ratio random-interval schedule. During interruptions in the schedule, the subjects were required to fill out sentence-completion guess sheets about how they should press the buttons to gain the points available. Three of six subjects were instructed about the rules of button pressing (the instructed group),

whereas the others received no instructions but their gusses were shaped with differential **points** also worth money (the shaped group). The schedule was changed so that button pressing relying on the instructed or shaped rules substantially decreased the available **points** in the contact condition but not in the no-contact condition. A schedule change in the no-contact condition produced no performance change in either groups. In the contact condition, shaped group subjects showed a performance change, whereas instructed group subjects did not until they temporarily encountered an extinction schedule. When the no-contact condition was reintroduced, sensitive responding occurred in the shaped group but not in the instructed group suggesting that prior experience in the contact condition increased the schedule sensitivity of the shaped group. The findings clearly demonstrated that responding was more sensitive to schedule changes when the rules were shaped than when they were instructed. (author abst.)

33/7/18 (Item 1 from file: 61)
DIALOG(R)File 61:LISA(LIBRARY&INFOSCI)
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02167854 9613523
Library and Information Science Abstracts (LISA)
Electronic publishing in crystallography.
AUTHOR(S): McMahon, B.
JOURNAL: IFLA Journal
SOURCE: 22 (3) 1996, p.199-205.
PUBLICATION DATE: 1996 -- 19960000

ABSTRACT: Article included in a special issue devoted to current developments in electronic publishing and electronic information communication. Scientific disciplines have their own requirements for maintaining detailed structured records of their fields of inquiry. Each discipline develops its own technical terminology, experimental protocols, data storage and retrieval methods. Often these conventions are specific to a particular subdiscipline, geographical area, laboratory or individual and considerable effort is required to **exchange valuable** information between **different** groups. Reports work of the International Union of Crystallography to devise an appropriate standard for classifying and exchanging information across the entire field. Illustrates how the results will **benefit** not only scientists at the laboratory bench, but also publishers, librarians, database maintainers and other providers of information to that community. Reviews the specifications for the universal data **exchange** mechanism, implementation of routines to facilitate data **exchange**, and the use of standard software packages as a medium for submission of papers electronically. (The author may be contacted by electronic mail bm@iucr.ac.uk). Original abstract-amended. LT.

33/7/19 (Item 1 from file: 233)
DIALOG(R)File 233:Internet & Personal Comp. Abs.
(c) 2001 Info. Today Inc. All rts. reserv.

00342199 94PI03-214
Mondial: mighty accounting muscle for \$199
Yakal, Kathy
PC Magazine , March 15, 1994 , v13 n5 p52, 1 Page(s)
ISSN: 0888-8507
Company Name: M-USA Business Systems
Product Name: Mondial
Presents a favorable review of Mondial 1.0 (\$199.95), an accounting program from M-USA Business Systems Inc., Dallas, TX (800, 214). The

program requires 640K RAM, 4MB hard disk space, and DOS 3.3 or later. The program may be too powerful for small businesses with uncomplicated accounting needs and it is probably too complex for novice users. In addition to the standard modules--General Ledger, A/R, A/P, and Inventory--it includes Order Entry, Point of Sale, Assembly Control, Job Costing, and Purchase Order in addition to multi - currency conversion . It includes 23 pre-built Charts of Accounts and can import data in ASCII, Pacioli 2000, and Quicken's .QIF format. Modules are more flexible and offer more features than other low-end programs. It is network-ready and provides nine levels of password security. It provides flexible reporting to the screen, a printer, a file, or by export as an ASCII file. Includes two screen displays. (djd)

33/7/20 (Item 1 from file: 144)
DIALOG(R)File 144:Pascal
(c) 2001 INIST/CNRS. All rts. reserv.

09309535 PASCAL No.: 91-0099909
Resource dilemmas with environmental uncertainty and asymmetric players
BUDESCU D V; RAPOPORT A; SULEIMAN R
Univ. Haifa, dep. psychology, Haifa 31999, Israel
Journal: European journal of social psychology, 1990, 20 (6) 475-487
ISSN: 0046-2772 CODEN: EJSPA6 Availability: INIST-15647;
354000018316020020
No. of Refs.: 19 ref.
Document Type: P (Serial) ; A (Analytic)
Country of Publication: United Kingdom
Language: English

Groups subjects participated in a series of 30 noncooperative independent single-trial resource dilemmas. On each trial the subjects in each group requested privately a number of **points** from a common pool. Individual request were granted if and only if the total group request was equal to or smaller than the pool size. The pool size on each trial was sampled randomly from a uniform distribution that was common knowledge. Asymmetry in payoff was induced by assigning to each group member a **different points -to- money exchange rate**.

33/7/21 (Item 1 from file: 99)
DIALOG(R)File 99:Wilson Appl. Sci & Tech Abs
(c) 2001 The HW Wilson Co. All rts. reserv.

2113254 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BAST95061708
Shopping for the best deal
Schriener, Judy;
ENR v. 235 (Oct. 16 1995) p. 12
DOCUMENT TYPE: Feature Article ISSN: 0891-9526

ABSTRACT: In an effort to raise money for new road construction, the Arizona Department of Transportation (ADOT) board members opted for a negotiated **sale** of bonds instead of a low **bid** . The result, according to Linda Brock-Nelson, chairperson of the ADOT board, was a good deal for ADOT because money was saved and a successful bond offering was obtained **several months before the money was needed**.

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>>>KWIC option is not available in file(s): 278

13/3,K/1 (Item 1 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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02235531 84109655

Two scoops

Wetuski, Jodi

Oil & Gas Investor v21n10 PP: 67-68 Oct 2001

ISSN: 0744-5881 JRNL CODE: OGI

WORD COUNT: 1428

...TEXT: lowered his price target to reflect the price paid for Anderson.
"The acquisition price is **equivalent** to a debt-adjusted **cash flow multiple** of 8.0 to 8.5 times, a sharp premium to Devon's **trading multiple** of about five times," he says. He lowered the target from \$69 to \$53...

13/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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01797764 04-48755

Novel Solutions

Copulsky, Erica

Investment Dealers Digest PP: 22-28 Mar 22, 1999

ISSN: 0021-0080 JRNL CODE: IDD

WORD COUNT: 3447

...TEXT: With the high-yield and leverage loan market collapse this past summer, the complexion of **auctions** changed fundamentally," explains Jeffrey Kaplan, who is in charge of M&A for financial buyers at Merrill Lynch & Co. "While we saw the potential for robust LBO activity, as average **cash flow multiples** declined 40%, {that potential} was never **converted** because of the inability to finance deals and a diminished desire on the part of...

13/3,K/3 (Item 3 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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01581366 02-32355

Auction Channel bids for global coverage

Grande, Carlos

New Media Markets v16n5 PP: 7-8 Feb 5, 1998

JRNL CODE: NEW

WORD COUNT: 794

...TEXT: systems at the call centre, the viewer would be free to take part in the **sale**. Once the **auction** begins, bidders continue pressing the star button on their touch-tone telephones to keep upping their bids. Bids would increase in regular units, as laid down by the **auctioneer** at the start. The **auctioneer** would follow the television bids on an autocue and the top bid, **converted** into different **currencies**, would be shown on the viewer's screen.

A limited demonstration of the interactive system...

13/3,K/4 (Item 4 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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01467263 01-18251
How multinationals are coping
Anonymous
Director v50n11 PP: 58 Jun 1997
ISSN: 0012-3242 JRNL CODE: DRT
WORD COUNT: 404

TEXT: The euro holds no terrors for Shell. The oil giant is used to complicated **multi - currency conversions** and financing deals, and is also accustomed to currency reforms, operating as it does in...

... the euro. For its published accounts, it converts dollar amounts to sterling for Shell Transport & **Trading**, and to guilders for Royal Dutch Shell. Guilders will be replaced by euros, assuming the...

13/3,K/5 (Item 5 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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01342382 99-91778
Idea corner
Anonymous
TMA Journal v16n6 PP: 84-85 Nov/Dec 1996
ISSN: 1080-1162 JRNL CODE: JCG
WORD COUNT: 978

...TEXT: unbanked employees. Cardholders can access funds quickly and easily via automated teller machines (ATMs) or **point of sale** (POS) terminals and receive regular account statements showing their account balance and debit card activity...

... cards can be used as an alternative to checks when you need to disburse sales **incentives** or any type of payment that recipients must be able to **convert to cash** without waiting **several** days for their **checks** to clear. Such a card can also reduce your reliance on using local banks as "payable if desired" (PID) locations for payroll, workman's compensation and **benefit** disbursements.

IDEA #8: Automate the processing of your repetitive bills to reduce or eliminate late...

13/3,K/6 (Item 6 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
(c) 2001 ProQuest Info&Learning. All rts. reserv.

01034934 96-84327
Salomon wraps up novel "Decs" deal for MFS Communications
Pratt, Tom
Investment Dealers Digest v61n21 PP: 16 May 22, 1995
ISSN: 0021-0080 JRNL CODE: IDD
WORD COUNT: 668

...TEXT: dividend, at least, as a feature that should give issuers that are unable to pay **cash** dividends the **alternative of selling convertible** preferred instead of straight common.

The Decs outperformed the common in the aftermarket last week...

13/3,K/7 (Item 7 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00940086 95-89478
The credit explosion - International scene
Boris, Larry P
Credit World v83n2 PP: 21-23 Nov/Dec 1994
ISSN: 0011-1074 JRNL CODE: CW
WORD COUNT: 1489

...TEXT: as robust as in the U.S., and the expectations of these systems are incredibly different. In England, dates, currency translation and delinquency representation are substantially different. Transactions in the U.S. on a credit card product are authorized literally at point of sale vs. only approximately 40 percent in the U.K. Although this doesn't sound dramatic...

13/3,K/8 (Item 8 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00692519 93-41740
Total compensation in a global marketplace
Knight, Karla L
Compensation & Benefits Review v25n2 PP: 70-72 Mar-Apr 1993
ISSN: 0886-3687 JRNL CODE: CPR
WORD COUNT: 1436

...TEXT: of the total compensation package among a select comparator group. This process begins with job matching and data collection by position. A mathematical valuation is used to convert noncash elements into cash equivalents. There are several approaches to doing this, but most are based on either the cost to the company...

13/3,K/9 (Item 9 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00669571 93-18792
Sunsystems financial management software
Monsma, Cal; Conway, Jim
Management Accounting v74n8 PP: 22 Feb 1993
ISSN: 0025-1690 JRNL CODE: NAA
WORD COUNT: 908

...ABSTRACT: provide breakdowns of sales by market, product type, size of product, expenses of making the sale, and cost of providing maintenance support. The accounting function can help companies to determine how...

... the software's features that make it especially suitable for international operations include flexible reporting, multiple currency capability, foreign currency translation, and electronic transfer of files. SunSystems software runs on all major platforms.

13/3,K/10 (Item 10 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00599462 92-14635

Meet Investing's Newest Stars

Kuhn, Susan E.

Fortune v125n5 PP: 144-150 Mar 9, 1992

ISSN: 0015-8259 JRNL CODE: FOR

WORD COUNT: 3680

...TEXT: technical stew are the expected growth rates of a company's profits, the ten-year trading history, and risk, which could stem from high debt or volatile earnings. He buys all the best in equal weighting and looks to make money in several ways: through expansion of the P/E multiple and the price-to-book multiple, or...

13/3,K/11 (Item 11 from file: 15)

DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)

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00176640 82-18201

Option Writing Management for Tax-Exempt Funds

Hardy, Steve

Pension World v18n6 PP: 65-67, 80 Jun 1982

ISSN: 0098-1753 JRNL CODE: PWN

...ABSTRACT: objectives. A buy/write options management program involves one manager purchasing a stock and simultaneously selling a call option. This is a hedging technique that has different risk/return characteristics than...

... prudent for portfolios governed by the Employee Retirement Income Security Act are: 1. call option buying, 2. using put options, and 3. conversions as an alternative to cash equivalents.

13/3,K/12 (Item 1 from file: 88)

DIALOG(R)File 88:Gale Group Business A.R.T.S.

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03436379 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 15060502

Mondial: mighty accounting muscle for \$199. (M-USA Business Systems' accounting software) (Software Review) (First Looks) (Evaluation)

Yakal, Kathy

PC Magazine, v13, n5, p52(1)

March 15, 1994

DOCUMENT TYPE: Evaluation ISSN: 0888-8507

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 866 LINE COUNT: 00068

... and Payable, and Inventory. Not often found in this price range are its Order Entry, Point of Sale, Assembly Control, Job Costing, and Purchase Order modules, and an iron-clad audit trail. Network...

...box, Mondial has another unusual capability, especially appropriate in light of the recent NAFTA agreement: multi - currency conversion.

Easy Setup

Despite its formidable processing power, the program's design does incorporate elements to...

13/3,K/13 (Item 1 from file: 9)

DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)

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02406861 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Novel Solutions Cash-rich LBO firms are being forced to go outside the box to find new ways to put all that money to use

(Some \$46 bil of private equity capital was raised in 1998 and there are now over 250 buyout firms, with \$100 bil of committed equity capital seeking investments)

Investment Dealers' Digest, p N/A

March 22, 1999

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Cover Story ISSN: 0021-0080 (United States)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 3389

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...With the high-yield and leverage loan market collapse this past summer, the complexion of **auctions** changed fundamentally," explains Jeffrey Kaplan, who is in charge of M&A for financial buyers at Merrill Lynch & Co. "While we saw the potential for robust LBO activity, as average **cash** flow **multiples** declined 40%, (that potential) was never **converted** because of the inability to finance deals and a diminished desire on the part of...

13/3,K/14 (Item 1 from file: 13)

DIALOG(R) File 13:BAMP

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01211594 02885124 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

The future: Fleet managers must tread cautiously in order to avoid planned cuts in fleet size costing them valuable staff

(A recent survey of 323 UK employers about the future of the company car found that 24% plan to reduce the fleet in the next year, particularly as the government plans to introduce an emissions-based tax; this could harm recruitment)

Employee Benefits, p S10-S11

March 2001

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; Survey ISSN: 1366-8722 (United Kingdom)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 1013

TEXT:

...introduce LPG/'green' cars 12%
reduce choice of cars 11%
include cars in a flexible **benefits** package 8%
include used cars in the fleet 8%
get rid of status cars 7%
increase the choice of cars 7%
introduce **trading** down 6%
increase the fleet 5%
stop using fuel cards 5%
start using fuel cards 3%
introduce **trading** up 2%
staff to contribute to
the cost of company cars 2%
start offering private fuel 0.31%
reduce the **cash** alternative 0%
Note: Table **converted** from bar graph.
Sample: all respondents

13/3,K/15 (Item 2 from file: 13)

DIALOG(R)File 13:BAMP

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01154558 02334865 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

What G/L Managers Should Know Now to Implement the Euro

(It is very important for all companies to prepare for the use of the Euro currency, regardless of your company's location; those companies that are dealing with this as well as e-commerce should consider replacing an old ledger with a new accounting system)

Managing the General Ledger, n 2, p 3,4

February 2000

DOCUMENT TYPE: Newsletter ISSN: 1523-5270 (United States)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 691

ABSTRACT:

...in the local currency; secure handling of rounding differences; perform secure conversions at fixed rates; convert historical data; and produce invoices in multiple currencies .

13/3,K/16 (Item 3 from file: 13)

DIALOG(R)File 13:BAMP

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01139160 02169417 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

A marriage made in heaven

(A number of drivers is making the convergence of the gas and power industries in Europe a reality, a development that should be viewed positively)

Article Author(s): Tait, Ben

Power Engineering International, v 7, n 7, p 18-22

September 1999

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 1069-4994 (United Kingdom)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 2267

(USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...big external suppliers might be the best long-term move a power player can make.

Multi -utility money : If one plus one can equal three in trading , then perhaps the sum in retail business should be four. Bringing natural gas and power...

...fixed price retail business, increases the convenience offering to customers and also allows dual fuel discounts that others might struggle to match in a low margin supply business.

Multi-utility strategy...

13/3,K/17 (Item 1 from file: 810)

DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire

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0943533 BW1473

MARCAM: Marcam's Process Manufacturing and Asset Management Solutions Now Fully Euro-Enabled

November 23, 1998

Byline: Business/Technology Editors

...requirements defined for the transitional phase, which begins January 1, 1999, such as triangulation, reporting, trading partner conversion, database conversion, and multi-currency functionality. While all of Marcam's solutions have supported multi-currency since their inception, they...

13/3,K/18 (Item 2 from file: 810)
DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire
(c) 1999 Business Wire . All rts. reserv.

0606264 BW1419

HYPERION 2: Hyperion completes accounting solution on Sybase, targets year end for completion of Oracle-based suite; achieves key accounting market objectives

July 22, 1996

Byline: Business Editors/Computer Industry Writers

...communications and complete customer statistics);
-- analysis tools for evaluating credit risk and collections support;
-- automated cash application with multiple matching algorithms;
-- event monitoring with actions list generation.
Hyperion's asset management solution factors in both internal...

13/3,K/19 (Item 3 from file: 810)
DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire
(c) 1999 Business Wire . All rts. reserv.

0584785 BW0028

U.S. WIRELESS DATA: U.S. Wireless Data Inc. reports third-quarter results

May 13, 1996

Byline: Business Editors

...also attributed to periodic price reductions of the company's product as a means of converting existing finished goods inventory to cash.

The company introduced several new point-of-sale products during its second fiscal quarter. The new product line utilizes Cellular Digital Packet Data...

13/3,K/20 (Item 1 from file: 647)
DIALOG(R)File 647:CMP Computer Fulltext
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01162173 CMP ACCESSION NUMBER: EBN19980525S0003
Industry gauges impact of euro - Single currency expected to pose a mix of pluses and minuses
Jennifer L. Baljko
ELECTRONIC BUYERS NEWS, 1998, n 1110, PG1
PUBLICATION DATE: 980525

JOURNAL CODE: EBN LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
SECTION HEADING: News
WORD COUNT: 793

... promote a freer flow of products, capital, and resources ,
economists said.

Procurement managers could also benefit from the change because
they will no longer have to deal with multiple currency translations
when buying products from the 11 participating countries.

But the euro comes with challenges as well.

In...

13/3,K/21 (Item 2 from file: 647)
DIALOG(R)File 647:CMP Computer Fulltext
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00607301 CMP ACCESSION NUMBER: UNX19911014S2712
FourGen Currency Package
LEE BRUNO
UNIX TODAY , 1991, n 082, 36
PUBLICATION DATE: 911014
JOURNAL CODE: UNX LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
SECTION HEADING: products
WORD COUNT: 164

TEXT:

Edmonds, Wash.-FourGen Software has rolled out new Unix-based
accounting software that allows companies dealing with different
currencies to convert their receivables and payables from a foreign
currency into the desired currency of the company.

13/3,K/22 (Item 1 from file: 275)
DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

02182601 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20757577 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
But it requires double counting and new software; here's one solution.
(Industry Trend or Event)
Haber, Carol
Electronic News (1991), v44, n2220, p48(1)
May 25, 1998
ISSN: 1061-9577 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 779 LINE COUNT: 00062

... a business and accounting software product called Sun Systems for
multinational companies, enabling operations in multiple currencies .

Unique Challenges

The euro conversion plan at individual companies presents its own
particular challenges, according to Mr. Helft; mainly, moving "seamlessly"
through the different stages of the conversion; dealing with the fluidity
of the economic and political situations in Europe where rules on the...

13/3,K/23 (Item 2 from file: 275)
DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)
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02002656 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 17614907 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Cheesy and half-baked. (Microprose Software Inc's Pizza Tycoon) (Software Review) (Evaluation) (Brief Article)
Black, Randall
Computer Gaming World, n132, p168(2)
July, 1995
DOCUMENT TYPE: Evaluation Brief Article ISSN: 0744-6667
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 1518 LINE COUNT: 00116

... teat of note-taking and division, you are rewarded with an absolutely huge amount of **money** , **equivalent** to **several** months take from a successful restaurant. The business aspect of the game thus becomes meaningless: Imagine playing Civilization for many hours and then being given ten full-grown cities for **buying** a frigate--it's that stupid.
If you ignore the economic aspects of the game...

13/3,K/24 (Item 3 from file: 275)
DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

01711057 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 16262153 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Software roundup.
Computergram International, CGI10210018
Oct 21, 1994
ISSN: 0268-716X LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1204 LINE COUNT: 00112

... software is now up under UnixWare.
- o -
Princeton, New Jersey-based OMR Systems Inc has **converted** its **multi - currency Trading** Assistant global trade processing software to run under SunSoft Inc's Solaris and signed a...

13/3,K/25 (Item 4 from file: 275)
DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

01313013 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 07899162 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
ICL launches first fruits of the Datachecker acquisition in the UK. (ICL PLC) (product announcement)
Computergram International, n1308, CGI11160021
Nov 16, 1989
DOCUMENT TYPE: product announcement ISSN: 0268-716X LANGUAGE: ENGLISH
RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 464 LINE COUNT: 00038

ACQUISITION IN THE UK
ICL has launched a family of electronic **point of sale** -based systems for front and back of store applications, aimed specifically at smaller supermarkets and...

...and is cheaper than the Fujitsu machine which is equipped with a dual-purpose printer, **credit** card reader, item registration, price look-up for 40,000 items, **multi** -tendering, and **currency conversion** . Up to 24 terminals are connected in a daisy chain in a master and slave...

...ICL's mainframe application, the General Merchandise System. Prices start at \$2,500 per cash **point** , and rise according to machine type and facilities. ICL says that it is now committed...

...two centres to retail operations within the next few months. The company's most recent **point -of- sale** order is with Hydro-Electric, one of two Scottish electricity utilities. The contract, worth #960...

13/3,K/26 (Item 1 from file: 239)
DIALOG(R)File 239:Mathsci
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01914127 MR 86g#01014
The appearance of negative solutions in mediaeval mathematics.
Sesiano, Jacques (Departement de Mathematiques, Ecole Polytechnique
Federale de Lausanne , 1007 Lausanne, Switzerland)
Corporate Source Codes: CH-LSNP
Arch. Hist. Exact Sci.
Archive for History of Exact Sciences, 1985, 32, no. 2, 105--150.
ISSN: 0003-9519 CODEN: AHESAN
Language: English
Subfile: MR (Mathematical Reviews) AMS
Abstract Length: LONG (26 lines)
Reviewer: Busard, H. L. L. (Venlo)

...linear equations which are closely connected with the appearance of negative solutions. He distinguishes five **different** types: **Exchanging money** ; finding a purse; **buying** a horse; the partial sums and the disloyal partners. From every type he gives a...

13/3,K/27 (Item 2 from file: 239)
DIALOG(R)File 239:Mathsci
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01507158 MR 58##26900
Unbekannte Studien von Leibniz zur Eliminations- und Explikationstheorie.
Knobloch, Eberhard
Contributors: Leibniz, Gottfried Wilhelm
Arch. History Exact Sci.
1974, 12, 142--173.
Language: German
Subfile: MR (Mathematical Reviews) AMS
Abstract Length: MEDIUM (15 lines)
Reviewer: Struik, D. J. (Belmont, Mass.)

In the Hannover collection of Leibniz manuscripts (LH 35) there are many notes **dealing** with what we now call the theory of determinants. They deal in the main with...

...polynomials from the ring $R(x)$ and the elimination of a common unknown from algebraic equations in two or more variables. **Several** of these notes are analyzed, and comparison is made with the later elimination methods of Bezout, Euler and...

13/3,K/28 (Item 1 from file: 624)
DIALOG(R)File 624:McGraw-Hill Publications
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00877630
ROSNEFT BIDDING: FREE-FOR-ALL PROJECTED: Wide-open bidding is the watchword
Platts Oilgram News August 1, 1997; Pg 1; Vol. 75, No. 148

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

Journal Code: PON ISSN: 0163-1284
Dateline: Moscow
Word Count: 1,093 *Full text available in Formats 5, 7 and 9*

BYLINE:
Jane Upperton

TEXT:

...under the hammer in the early autumn.

That tranche will be sold in straightforward cash auctions, Putilov said. Investment auctions, which theoretically raise money for the companies concerned rather than the government, have earned themselves...

... in many cases little more than impressive-sounding IOUs that are unlikely ever to be converted into cash.

Several powerful financial groups and oil companies are among the potential bidders for Rosneft, Putilov said...

13/3,K/29 (Item 1 from file: 621)
DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod.Annou.(R)
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02614229 Supplier Number: 64362287 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
I-Sector Announces 2nd Quarter Results; Comments on Recent Restructuring.
PR Newswire, pNA
August 18, 2000
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 2659

... that was in a transitional state, consumed with the tasks of completing the previously announce sale of a major division and restructuring the remaining components of the organization for the future ...

...the Computer Products Division and expenses related to changes in reserve estimates related to the sale of the Computer Products Division as compared to the reserve estimates used at March 31, 2000 prior the completion of the sale. With the proceeds of the sale of the Computer Products Division, as expected, we repaid all of our outstanding interest-bearing...

...of accounts receivable related to our discontinued operations that we are working to collect and convert to cash over the next several months. Going forward, we must turn our efforts to building each of our wholly owned...

13/3,K/30 (Item 2 from file: 621)
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01705693 Supplier Number: 50294274 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
New Vista 4.0 from DataWorks Adds Support for SQL Server and Improves Ease of Use; On Display at IMTS 98; Available for Shipment in October
PR Newswire, p0909MNMW026
Sept 9, 1998
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Article Type: Article
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 415

... provide full technical support on both the Vista software and the entire BackOffice family.

The Multi - Currency module easily automates monetary conversions for companies buying or selling in foreign currencies. Setup with Vista is simplified and installation time reduced with wizard and...

13/3,K/31 (Item 3 from file: 621)
DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod.Annou.(R)
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01526045 Supplier Number: 47335840 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
New Study Offers Insight Into Selling Prices Of Privately Held
Manufacturing Companies
PR Newswire, p428CLM027
April 28, 1997
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 643

... 5.5 5.8

Branded Foods	4	7.8	7.5	8.0
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Total	123	--	--	--
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Selling price was reflected as a multiple of current earnings before interest and taxes. Buyers' assumption...

...purchase price. Consideration in the form of notes, etc., if significant, was discounted to a cash equivalent price.

* Multiple

spread within the middle 50% of completed transactions.

** Contract manufacturers (e.g. stampers, molders, production...

13/3,K/32 (Item 1 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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05073081 Supplier Number: 78029172 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
DEVON TAKES ON HISTORIC DEBT LEVELS TO ACQUIRE ANDERSON EXPLORATION LTD.
Petroleum Finance Week, v9, n35, pNA
Sept 10, 2001
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 2015

... Devon, but lowered his price target to reflect the price paid. "The acquisition price is equivalent to a debt-adjusted cash flow multiple of 8.0 to 8.5 times, a sharp premium to Devon's trading multiple of about 5 times," he indicated. "We are lowering our target price from \$69...

13/3,K/33 (Item 2 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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04761283 Supplier Number: 64523851 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Blowout quarter puts marketer earnings on map.
Seay, Stephanie Gott
Gas Daily, v17, n149, p1
August 4, 2000

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 672

... produced enough of a return to get investors interested." The quarter will be hard to **equal**, especially as companies made **money** along **different** paths. Some made their money off volatility, some by **selling** down equity positions and others by going long in the commodity. "To repeat as across...

13/3,K/34 (Item 3 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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04069773 Supplier Number: 53553607 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Euro challenges smaller companies.
Thomson's International Banking Regulator, v11, n02, pNA
Jan 11, 1999
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 373

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
TEXT:

...do business with Europe, said Joseph J. Douress, director of marketing for international and domestic **credit** for Dun & Bradstreet. The situation could spell good news for the many bankers, both...

...in the transition to the euro. The companies' systems must be ready to handle a **different** **currency** and the **conversion** from the legacy currency to the euro. "Some are going to be taken by surprise...

...that there is a new currency." For some, the challenge will be as simple as **buying** from a company that is pricing in euro, or **selling** to a customer who may also want the price to be quoted in euro. According...

13/3,K/35 (Item 4 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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03766511 Supplier Number: 48152841 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
PLANNING FOR THE EURO HAS TO START NOW
Computergram International, pN/A
Dec 1, 1997
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 1058

... multi-currency? Also, article 235 of the Maastricht treaty lays down very strict rules on **currency** **conversion**, which existing **multi - currency** systems would not include. Chris Rees, director of management consultancy Charteris Ltd and a member...

...publication, stresses the euro is not just another currency. For a start, participants will be **dealing** in dual currencies during the transition period, so customers will have the option of whether...

...prepared, and will they be able to cope with EMU at the same time as **dealing** with the Year 2000 system changes? The society seems fairly optimistic that companies will be...

13/3,K/36 (Item 5 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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03415906 Supplier Number: 47031135 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
HFS REPORTEDLY EYEING DEBUT BOND ISSUE
Corporate Financing Week, v33, n1, pN/A
Jan 13, 1997
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Professional Trade
Word Count: 182

... and Super 8, and has spent more than \$4 billion in the past two years **buying** car-rental chain Avis, Inc., real-estate brokers Century 21 Real Estate and Coldwell Banker...

...and financial-services conglomerate PHH Corp. To date, the company has paid for acquisitions via **cash**, stock and **several convertible** issues. Merrill Lynch and Morgan Stanley have underwritten HFS's convertible issues. The company's...

13/3,K/37 (Item 6 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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02521600 Supplier Number: 45077529 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
OMR CONVERTED TRADING ASSISTANT SOFTWARE TO SOLARIS
Computergram International, n2527, pN/A
Oct 21, 1994
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newswire; Trade
Word Count: 52

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
TEXT:
Princeton, New Jersey-based OMR Systems Inc has **converted** its **multi - currency Trading Assistant** global trade processing software to run under SunSoft Inc's Solaris and signed a...

13/3,K/38 (Item 7 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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01818839 Supplier Number: 43080329 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
TWST Roundtable - OUTLOOK FOR METALS & MINING INDUSTRY STOCKS
Wall Street Transcript Digest, v4, n11, pN/A
June 15, 1992
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 702

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
TEXT:
...include the general climate for natural resources, where one panelist notes that investors are indiscriminately **buying** all the natural resource stocks -- without stopping to look at which ones are the best...

...of the game today is to grow internal." Phelps Dodge is not going out and **buying** XYZ corporate producers. They're developing La Canderlarin Mine in Chile. By year- end, an...

...a CEO you should stay with what you know. Another chose gold because "pure gold **translates** into a higher **multiple** ." Gold has to be the one closest to its bottom contends an analyst. Another panelist names...
...In terms of acquisitions, one analyst names that Amax Gold has been very aggressive by **buying** Fairbanks Gold. Phelps Dodge is a company that has taken care of its shareholders notes...

...panelist offered that he has an accumulate rating on Brush Wellman, "so we'd be **buying** for the long term." Pegasus Gold was cited by an analyst for its aggressive management...

13/3,K/39 (Item 8 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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01619322 Supplier Number: 42483892 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
STRATUS TEAMS UP WITH CITICORP
Financial Technology Insight, pN/A
Nov, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 369

... or X.25.
In line with the expanding international operations of retail banks, Finware offers **multi - currency** and multilingual capabilities. **Equally** important, as banks seek to move to customer related databases, the system organizes account information...

...which besides giving a faster and more personalized service also presents greater opportunities for cross- **selling** of financial products. The package also provides a range of product marketing tools with what...

13/3,K/40 (Item 1 from file: 484)
DIALOG(R)File 484:Periodical Abs Plustext
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03743477 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)
Welcome the Euro
Haber, Carol
Electronic News (IELN), v44 n2220, p48, 50, p.2
May 25, 1998
ISSN: 1061-6624 JOURNAL CODE: IELN
DOCUMENT TYPE: News
LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 1206

TEXT:

... a business and accounting software product called Sun Systems for multinational companies, enabling operations in **multiple currencies** .
Unique Challenges
The euro **conversion** plan at individual companies presents its own particular challenges, according to Mr. Helft; mainly, moving "seamlessly" through the different stages of the conversion; **dealing** with the fluidity of the economic and political situations in Europe where rules on the...

13/3,K/41 (Item 2 from file: 484)
DIALOG(R)File 484:Periodical Abs Plustext
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03621185 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Looking for a waiver

Serafini, Marilyn Werber

National Journal (INJO), v30 n9, p465-466, p.2

Feb 28, 1998

ISSN: 0360-4217 JOURNAL CODE: INJO

DOCUMENT TYPE: Feature

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 1076

TEXT:

... dollars; others have legislatures that won't meet in time to approve their plans or **matching** money. To access the federal money, states must submit a plan to the Health and...

...end of September. But even if the states can get around these problems, using the **money** for **alternative** purposes may be **equally** challenging. "States would have a difficult time getting HCFA to use this program for adults...

13/3,K/42 (Item 1 from file: 613)

DIALOG(R)File 613:PR Newswire

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00255518 20000131NYM025 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Net Technologies Announces Conclusion of First Round of Financing

PR Newswire

Monday, January 31, 2000 07:48 EST

JOURNAL CODE: PR LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 1,362

...sold in 1998 for \$345 million to Chase. At CS First Boston, she led the **conversion** of a **multi - currency conversion** system supporting over

\$1 billion in trades daily. Meyer topped her Wall Street career as Chief Technology Officer of Cargill's Financial Markets Division, an \$8 billion proprietary **trading** business operating in 14 countries.

Meyer was a founding director of the World Wide Web...

13/3,K/43 (Item 1 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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09139560 Supplier Number: 79003239 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Recording depreciation cuts taxes, reportable income.(Brief Article)

Freeman, L. Neal

Ophthalmology Times, v26, n18, p20

Sept 15, 2001

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Article Type: Brief Article

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Refereed; Professional

Word Count: 1102

... interest payments after construction has been completed.

The next relevant concept of interest is the **matching** rule. This rule asserts that expenses should be recorded in the accounting period in which...

...rule results in a system known as accrual accounting, which is generally preferred to the **alternative**, **cash** accounting.

The process of depreciation **converts** the value of an asset into an expense over time. Since many assets have an...

...allocate the cost of the asset over the course of that life, consistent with the **matching** rule.

Assets are categorized as current assets, long-term (or "fixed") assets, and other assets...

13/3,K/44 (Item 2 from file: 16)
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07841622 Supplier Number: 65228102
AUSTRALIA: WORLDPAY INKED DEAL WITH A LOCAL BANK.
Australian Financial Review, p20
Sept 7, 2000
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...company. However, the identity of its partner is left unknown. WorldPay is a British firm **dealing** in online payment systems, with specialty in providing **conversion** services for **multi - currency** transactions. It is an affiliate of National Westminster Bank. Meanwhile, on 06 September 2000, WorldPay...

13/3,K/45 (Item 3 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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07748760 Supplier Number: 64192248
SINGAPORE: SESAMI.COM IMPROVES PRODUCTS.
Business Times (Singapore), p12
August 14, 2000
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Newspaper; Trade

ABSTRACT:

Singapore's Sesami.com Pte Ltd, a B2B e-com solutions provider, now provides improved **multiple currency conversion** capabilities, a browser-based administrator dashboard, ad more powerful bid increment or decrement for B2B **trading**.

13/3,K/46 (Item 4 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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06210842 Supplier Number: 54179772 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Novel Solutions Cash-rich LBO firms are being forced to go outside the box to find new ways to put all that money to use.
Copulsky, Erica
Investment Dealers' Digest, pSECD9908100E
March 22, 1999
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 3396

... With the high-yield and leverage loan market collapse this past

summer, the complexion of **auctions** changed fundamentally," explains Jeffrey Kaplan, who is in charge of M&A for financial buyers at Merrill Lynch & Co. "While we saw the potential for robust LBO activity, as average **cash flow multiples** declined 40%, [that potential] was never **converted** because of the inability to finance deals and a diminished desire on the part of...

13/3,K/47 (Item 5 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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03138998 Supplier Number: 44284954
Russia: One third of Russian commercial banks has intention to sell its shares for convertible currency.
Delovoi Mir, p3
Dec 7, 1993
Language: Russian; NONENGLISH Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:
...Russia Central Bank (TSBR) (Moscow, Russia) securities division, the recent presidential decree imposing ban on **sale** of goods and services for foreign currency on the territory of the Russian Federation will...

...shares will have an opportunity to receive dividends or sell shares with payment made with **convertible currency**. Inkombank, Menatep and **several** other large commercial banks started already distribution of their shares with a nominal value specified...

13/3,K/48 (Item 6 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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02431818 Supplier Number: 43203191 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
CAE Software: Automatix
Electronic News (1991), p20
August 3, 1992
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 174

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
TEXT:
Automatix Inc. completed the **sale** of its SuperCads Inc. subsidiary, also known as Cognition, to Cadema Corp. The companies had...

...Cadema notes. Automatix received \$300,000 in cash and \$540,000 in two-year, non- **convertible** notes. The remaining \$954,000 of **notes** were issued to **several** venture investors who held senior securities in Cognition. These notes are convertible over a five...

13/3,K/49 (Item 7 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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01460187 Supplier Number: 41761811
Control Data Corporation in the USSR.
Rynok, p13
Number 15, 1991
Language: Russian; NONENGLISH Record Type: Abstract

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

...formed the SAPSAN joint venture to produce BESTA systems. Simultaneously SAPSAN serves as a dealer **buying** CDC computers and **selling** them with software developed at SAPSAN. Control Data establishes and supports direct contacts with user...

...difficult development of trade relations with the USSR. The first is COMECOM restrictions imposed on **sale** of sophisticated equipment and the second is lack of **convertible currency** in the USSR. **Several** opportunities are under investigation to arrange sales for roubles and to solve in this way...

13/3,K/50 (Item 1 from file: 160)
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02340367

TEVA AND ABIC COORDINATE PHARMACEUTICALS EXPORTS

Israel Business February, 1989 p. N/A

ISSN: 0334-3898

FULL TEXT AVAILABLE IN FORMAT 7 OR 9 WORD COUNT: 270

... the Canadian Bronfman Group reportedly invested some \$22.5m. in the company's shares and **convertible capital notes**.

Abic, which has **several** interesting anticancer drugs to its **credit**, has been **selling** those and other products in the United States and Canada through a number of agents...

13/3,K/51 (Item 2 from file: 160)
DIALOG(R)File 160:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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02116431

Donaldson, Lufkin & Jenrette Securities Corp. Investment Analyst Report on National Education Corp.

CIRR October 26, 1988 p. 1

...of 06-30-88, LT debt totaled \$80.9M, 36.3% of total capital; cash & **equivalents** totaled \$29.1M; est. free **cash** flow over next **several** yrs.: \$100M+. Over next 5 yrs., earnings est'd. to rise 20-25+% annually, driven...

...8.8% to \$103M; earnings up 72% to \$0.43, incl. a gain on a **sale** of Student Loan Marketing Assn. (Sallie Mae) stock of \$950K pretax, \$0.02 PS aftertax...

13/3,K/52 (Item 3 from file: 160)
DIALOG(R)File 160:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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00478949

Include relative effectiveness with other media when planning sales calls.
Journal of Advertising Research February, 1979 p. 17-211

... one sales call is worth perhaps four ad exposures. Allocating funds to advertising or personal **selling** depends in part on the firm's communications objectives; however, there also exists a 'considerable gray area in which advertising or personal **selling** could be appropriate for

the communication task.' It is this area which Swinyard addresses his...

... advertising; however, Swinyard's study found that four ads were much more effective than personal **selling** in producing recall, as well as in changing attitudes and stimulating behavioral intentions. This speaks both well and poorly about personal **selling**. In view of the cost considerations, advertising would appear to be a far more efficient medium than one would assume. (Thus, even when **money** is no object, **multiple** ads may **equal** the effectiveness of personal **selling**.) These findings would appear to indicate that re-evaluating budget appropriations might be in order--dependent on the other objectives--in instances where either personal **selling** or advertising might be used. ...

13/3,K/53 (Item 1 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
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03520841 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 06312144 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Airbus searches for lower costs. (Airbus Industrie)
Reed, Arthur
Air Transport World, v25, n3, p67(1)
March, 1988
ISSN: 0002-2543 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 1020 LINE COUNT: 00078

... currencies, from the impact of the volatile U.S. currency. Airbus has, in fact, begun **selling** aircraft on this **multi - currency** basis, the basket comprising **equal** amounts of the dollar, U.K. sterling, the West German deutsche mark, and the French...

13/3,K/54 (Item 1 from file: 553)
DIALOG(R)File 553:Wilson Bus. Abs. FullText
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03259127 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BWBA96009127
The year in Europe: Union members confront parallel imports and universes.
AUGMENTED TITLE: 1995
Clark-Meads, Jeff
Billboard (Billboard) v. 107 (Dec. 23 '95) p. YE14
LANGUAGE: English

...ABSTRACT: Union in 1994 swept away all barriers to trade among members, and this revolution in **trading** practices had a massive impact on record-company operations, retailing, and music publishing in 1995. The most tangible change has been the open **buying** by retailers across national borders, known as transshipment. This has been good news for retailers...

...bad news for record companies, as they are expected to introduce price structures that are **equally** attractive in **different currencies**. In terms of music publishing, record companies can now secure one pan-European license from...

13/3,K/55 (Item 2 from file: 553)
DIALOG(R)File 553:Wilson Bus. Abs. FullText
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02501711 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BWBA93001711
Micro Control.
AUGMENTED TITLE: PC-based financial consolidation and reporting system

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

Mann, Bruce M

Management Accounting (New York, N.Y.) (Manage Account) v. 74 (Nov. '92) p. 21+

LANGUAGE: English

...ABSTRACT: for quickly and efficiently consolidating data for companies with multiple subsidiaries or divisions, especially those **dealing** with multiple currencies and consolidation paths. Micro Control's capabilities allow for multiple rollup paths...

...product line, and geographic purposes. For firms with international operations, the consolidation capability allows foreign **currency translation for multiple currencies**. Additional features of Micro Control are discussed.
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The art of the deal

Flower, Joe

Hospitals & Health Networks v71n7 PP: 38-40 Apr 5, 1997

ISSN: 1068-8838 JRNL CODE: HPT

WORD COUNT: 1421

...TEXT: we create a situation where it becomes de facto true.

Let's say we're **bidding** for an item. Who gets it? The person with the highest **bid**, right? Did that person "win" the **auction**? The worth of an item is uncertain, whether it's a rocking chair, an oil...

... contract. A group of people, all with the same information about the item, will have **different** views about how **valuable** it is. An indication of the true worth of an item is the average price that people think it is worth-the average of that distribution of opinions. At an **auction**, the person who "wins" the item ...and my real estate agent tells me that there are at least six other parties **bidding** on it. The most likely thing for me to do is to raise my **bid**. If all these other people are **bidding**, obviously it must be an even better house than I thought. If I'm going to get the house, I've got to **bid** more. We call this "escalation of commitment." If I continue **bidding**, I will end up with a "winner's curse." I'll get the house, but...

20/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 15)
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00961331 96-10724

Operators mis-guess and misunderstand as LDO auction turns to farce

Anonymous

New Media Markets v12n17 PP: 5-6 Sep 22, 1994

JRNL CODE: NEW

ABSTRACT: The **auction** of the Eastern Derbyshire franchise in September 1994 turned into a farce as all 3 expected **bidders** stayed away. Nynex, General Cable, and Diamond, all of which have franchises bordering on the advertised area, were expected to **bid** for the 3rd local-delivery-operator (LDO) franchise to be advertised, with the spoils going to the highest **bidder**. Both NYNEX and Diamond held back because they were certain that General Cable's Yorkshire Cable group would put in a higher **bid**. But Yorkshire did not **bid** because of what appears to be confusion over the franchising rules and process. The Independent Television Commission said that it made the rules and process absolutely clear, in guidance **notes** and **several** conversations with operators.

20/3,K/3 (Item 3 from file: 15)
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00720230 93-69451

Taub talk

Taub, Stephen

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Financial World v162n13 PP: 10 Jun 22, 1993
ISSN: 0015-2064 JRNL CODE: TWO
WORD COUNT: 214

...TEXT: 40 last year, there were no sales. That's when there was a lot of **selling** at other companies."...Scandal-ridden Italy is attracting global investors as the country desperately tries...

...way to play it: Buy the closed-end Italy Fund. But be careful: It's **trading** at 10-3/4 for a premium to the net asset value, and is already ...

...skeptical that the cellular company would fetch more than \$100 per share when it is **auctioned** to the highest **bidder** in early 1995, Bauer has now hiked his **cash** flow **multiple** from 11 to 13. Presto! He says he could see a deal for at least...

20/3,K/4 (Item 4 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00692346 93-41567
Equity buy-backs
Retkwa, Rosalyn
Corporate Cashflow v14n4 PP: 27-28 Apr 1993
ISSN: 1040-0311 JRNL CODE: CFL
WORD COUNT: 1336

...ABSTRACT: share repurchase programs took a huge leap in 1992, largely due to lower interest rates. **Buying** back company stock becomes an attractive **alternative** to using excess **cash** to earn 2.5% to 3% in money market instruments. Reducing the number of shares...

...the open market at its prevailing market value, but others prefer to use the Dutch **auction** technique. In a Dutch **auction**, the company announces the amount of stock it wants to buy and a range of prices. Stockholders then make tender offer **bids**.

20/3,K/5 (Item 5 from file: 15)
DIALOG(R)File 15:ABI/Inform(R)
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00088316 79-03206
Some Barbarous Relic! In the Global Monetary System, Gold Scores a Recovery
Bleiberg, Robert M.
Barron's v59n5 PP: 7 Jan. 29, 1979
ISSN: 0005-6073 JRNL CODE: BAR

...ABSTRACT: its members. A number of countries such as Italy, Australia and France have revalued their **gold** holdings. **Several** countries have opted to receive their share of the IMF **auctions** in gold rather than currency, while other countries have reserved the right to **bid** non-competitively at future sales. Almost 50 countries have started minting gold coins as legal...

20/3,K/6 (Item 1 from file: 88)
DIALOG(R)File 88:Gale Group Business A.R.T.S.
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03178296 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 13852633

Red-hot Chile: Canadian mining companies are rushing south.

Makinson, Dawn

Maclean's, v106, n20, p36(1)

May 17, 1993

ISSN: 0024-9262

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 844

LINE COUNT: 00066

... end at the Chilean border." Next month, the government will announce the winner of an **auction** of **several gold** mining properties in northwestern Argentina, located just across the border from the LAC Minerals rich El Indio mine. LAC is one of two finalists **bidding** for the property--both of them Canadian. The other is a consortium that includes a small Vancouver-based company, Musto Explorations Ltd. Musto won a similar **bid** award on a smaller nearby copper and gold property two years ago and is contemplating...

20/3,K/7 (Item 2 from file: 88)

DIALOG(R)File 88:Gale Group Business A.R.T.S.

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02654928 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 11008573

Rights: new ways to slice the pie. (survey: purchasing various book rights)(includes related articles on royalty statements)

Carter, Robert A.; Mutter, John

Publishers Weekly, v238, n30, p23(5)

July 12, 1991

CODEN: PWEEA

ISSN: 0000-0019

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE:

Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 2457

LINE COUNT: 00253

... six months from now publishers will no longer be talking doom and gloom."

As for **auctions** , the agent agreed that they're still going on as before, although, in Matson's...

...fewer for paperback rights only, and the money is less." Pryor prefers multiple submissions to **auctions** , although she considers sending manuscripts to between four and six publishers "unmanageable." Priest suggests that "the biggest deals are not necessarily made at **auctions** . If you've got a hot book, clearly an **auction** is called for, but if you've got a well-known author, you only **auction** if the author has decided to leave the house he's at." Knowlton notes that "the pressure from authors to get a deal going does lead to **auctions** ." Lampack's firm virtually sells everything through multiple submission. "I don't like the term ' **auction** ' because it commits you to **selling** to the highest **bidder** . We always want to reserve the right to take the best possible deal--advance plus most important thing." Lampack also likes the feed-back that comes from **multiple** submission. "You get **valuable** marketing and editorial information that way."

New Frontiers in Rights

According to Matson, Canada is...

20/3,K/8 (Item 1 from file: 9)

DIALOG(R)File 9:Business & Industry(R)

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01892756 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

ICI's Levers Of Power

(Financial advising in ICI's \$8 billion acquisition of Unilever's speciality chemicals operations is discussed)

Banker, p 15-18

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

June 01, 1997

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal ISSN: 0005-5395 (United Kingdom)

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 1929

ABSTRACT:

...is still desperately vulnerable to falling plastics or pigments prices. From the start of the **auction** process the ICI team was keen to find a way of getting back into exclusive negotiations with Unilever. Realistically, however, until round one of the **auction** process had ended Unilever and its advisers were most unlikely to entertain any advances. Once the first round (involving indicative **bids**) ended the ICI team decided to go for broke. Its advisers figured there were advantages...

...vendors in selling the four businesses in one go and relatively quickly (avoiding four separate **auctions** and a long drawn-out process). They also felt there was some support in the...

...give it some headroom for working capital and costs. The upshot was a five-year, **multi - currency** facility which was expected to take some two months to syndicate. Goldman is bookrunner and...

...and Deutschmarks - will be weighted roughly to match the denomination of the assets it is **buying**. ICI's activities are further discussed.

...

20/3,K/9 (Item 1 from file: 610)

DIALOG(R)File 610:Business Wire

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00096526 19990830242B0048 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Cunard Line Cruises Online with Yahoo! Auctions

Business Wire

Monday, August 30, 1999 08:11 EDT

JOURNAL CODE: BW LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE

WORD COUNT: 961

...live independently."

All Bids Welcome Aboard

Cunard's maiden voyage into the world of online **auctions** will feature a spectacular line-up of five cruises. Winning **bidders** should make **checks** payable to: National **Multiple Sclerosis Society**, Southern California Chapter, 2440 S. Sepulveda Blvd., Suite 115, Los Angeles, Calif. 90064...

20/3,K/10 (Item 1 from file: 275)

DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)

(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

02277585 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 54081578 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

Cyberscope: Virtual Castle For Sale 03/11/99.

Newsbytes, NA

March 11, 1999

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 358 LINE COUNT: 00030

Just check out online **auction** house eBay, where **bids** have hit \$1500 for an especially appealing account on Ultima Online

(http://www.ultimaonline.com...

...a medieval theme. Michael Hanson, a 25-year-old CPA from St. Petersburg, Fla., is **selling** the eight virtual characters, \$2.5 million in **gold** and **several** dwellings he developed over two years and thousands of hours of playing the game. The...

20/3,K/11 (Item 2 from file: 275)
DIALOG(R)File 275:Gale Group Computer DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

02144384 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20205698 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
The terrors of translation tables.(SQL for Smarties) (Technology Tutorial) (Tutorial) (Column)
Celko, Joe
DBMS, v11, n2, p20(3)
Feb, 1998
DOCUMENT TYPE: Tutorial Column ISSN: 1041-5173 LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 2540 LINE COUNT: 00190

... Merlot. I am sure that this is a serious problem in some areas.
If the **bidders** are using **different currencies**, then you need to provide currency rate conversions for the other **bidders** and the **auctioneer**. If you have friends in Europe, ask them about their Euro conversion problems.
If the...

20/3,K/12 (Item 1 from file: 674)
DIALOG(R)File 674:Computer News Fulltext
(c) 2001 IDG Communications. All rts. reserv.

044960
Briefs
Journal: Network World Page Number: 5
Publication Date: June 19, 1995
Word Count: 436 Line Count: 40

Text:

... be reached for comment. Doing it again The Federal Communications Commission announced that the next **auction** of broadband licenses for personal communications services will start Aug. 2. The nearly 500 metropolitan-area licenses are reserved for small businesses, with **bidding** credits for minorities and women. In a speech last week, FCC Chairman Reed Hundt said that in the first broadband PCS **auction**, ``we at the FCC learned how to spin gold for the public treasury from thin...

... based company next month will announce software to replicate data among Lotus Development Corp.'s **Notes** databases and **several** relational databases, including those from Oracle Corp. and Sybase, Inc. Casahl Technology, Inc.'s ReplicAction...

20/3,K/13 (Item 1 from file: 47)
DIALOG(R)File 47:Gale Group Magazine DB(TM)
(c) 2001 The Gale group. All rts. reserv.

05060882 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20048251 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
Lights! Camera! Auction! (Texas antique auction houses) (Directory)
Banks, Suzy
Texas Monthly, v25, n12, p124(9)

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

Dec, 1997

DOCUMENT TYPE: Directory ISSN: 0148-7736 LANGUAGE: English
RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 5567 LINE COUNT: 00425

... workstations (\$700) and credenzas (\$425) fetched near-retail prices.

In August, a week before an **auction** of cars and boats seized from an Austin-area drug dealer, officers from every branch...

...a press conference, carefully explaining to half a dozen reporters how the money from the **sale** of these assets would go back into federal and local crime-fighting efforts. At the actual **sale**, which took place in the ballroom of the Austin Marriott Hotel, all you needed to **bid** on a piece of drug-smuggling history was a photo I.D. and a cashier's check for \$10,000. Two hundred **bidders** scrounged up the **money** and, along with **several** hundred onlookers, sat gaping as collectors rapidly **bid** up a 1988 Ferrari Testarossa to \$75,000, a 1967 Corvette Roadster to \$59,000...

20/3,K/14 (Item 1 from file: 75)
DIALOG(R)File 75:TGG Management Contents(R)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

00196980 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 19170594 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULL TEXT)
How auctions reveal information: a case study on German REPO rates.
Nautz, Dieter
Journal of Money, Credit & Banking, v29, n1, p17(10)
Feb, 1997
ISSN: 0022-2879 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract
WORD COUNT: 3699 LINE COUNT: 00304

... day-to-day money interest rate. Let me illustrate how the Bundesbank times a REPO **auction**. Suppose the Bundesbank invites banks to submit **bids** on Wednesday. Let R denote the rate for day-to-day money immediately before the **auction**, that is, on Wednesday. On Thursday morning the **auction** result--especially the new REPO rate P--is published. Due to the efficiency of the...

...change, from Wednesday to Thursday, by (Delta)R. Notice that, since intervals between subsequent REPO **auctions** are at least a week, (Delta)R is not the difference of the rate for day-to-day **money** between two **different auction** days.(9)

Signals sent through a new REPO rate should be measured by the difference...

20/3,K/15 (Item 1 from file: 624)
DIALOG(R)File 624:McGraw-Hill Publications
(c) 2001 McGraw-Hill Co. Inc. All rts. reserv.

01058512
ENRON EXTENDS POSITION AS TOP MARKETER WITH PURCHASE OF CES TRADING GROUP
Inside FERCs Gas Market Report November 26, 1999; Pg 1; Vol. 40, No. 47
Journal Code: GMR ISSN: 8756-3711
Section Heading: MARKET WATCH
Word Count: 703 *Full text available in Formats 5, 7 and 9*

TEXT:

...are in the eastern U.S.

After a six-month evaluation of its wholesale energy **trading** business, Columbia decided to put the CES subsidiary on the **auction** block and instead focus on the retail end of its marketing business, where its

regulated...

... serve nearly 2 million customers (IFGMR, 3 Sept, 1). The wholesale division has been losing money for several years; in both the second and third quarters of this year, CES reported net losses of approximately \$10.5 million. The company has insisted the sale of CES has nothing to do with NiSource Inc.'s ongoing hostile takeover bid for Columbia Energy Group (IFGMR, 29 Oct, 12).

For Enron North America, the purchase of...

20/3,K/16 (Item 1 from file: 621)

DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod.Annou.(R)

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01906428 Supplier Number: 54983544 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Greg Manning Auctions Presents At Merrill Lynch 2nd Asia Pacific Technology Conference; Company Details Global Collectibles Internet Strategy; Stock Performance.

Business Wire, p1294

June 24, 1999

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newswire; Trade

Word Count: 619

... to be a global leader for its core products of stamps, coins, paper money, sports trading cards and memorabilia, Hollywood & Rock 'n Roll memorabilia, comic books, movie posters, diamonds and fine art. We believe that GMAI and GMAI-ASIA.COM are uniquely suited to offer both auction and retail platforms to countries around the world as a result of the expansive nature...

...advancing our technology. Not only will GMAI's worldwide sites offer multiple language availability and multiple currency bidding, but our proprietary, advanced Internet and touch-tone telephone computer technology is an important adjunct to Internet-only bidding for countries without the Internet penetration of the United States."

Mr. Reiman was also interviewed...

20/3,K/17 (Item 2 from file: 621)

DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod.Annou.(R)

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01905828 Supplier Number: 54978190 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Reel.com Announces 'Star Wars for Starlight' Online Charity Auction.

Business Wire, p0016

June 24, 1999

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newswire; Trade

Word Count: 696

... How to Bid

One "lot" of the "Star Wars Trilogy: Special Edition" product will be auctioned every day throughout the 6-day period (June 24-29). Each lot will consist of several copies of the Gold (standard) edition and a few of the extremely rare Silver (widescreen) editions of the 3-tape set with a limit of 3 per customer. Once bidders are registered and have received their password via e-mail, they can place a bid for the Gold or Silver editions.

If outbid, participants will be notified by e-mail...

20/3,K/18 (Item 3 from file: 621)

DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod.Annou.(R)

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01856619 Supplier Number: 54473229 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

eddeal.com Selects IBM E-Commerce Engine for Person-to-Person Auction Site.

Business Wire, p1457

April 26, 1999

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newswire; Trade

Word Count: 561

... at over 70% each year for the next five years.

"Becoming a leading on-line auction site like ebay.com

(Nasdaq:EBAY), Onsale Inc. (Nasdaq:ONSL), Excite (Nasdaq:XCIT), Ubid Inc...

...capable of conducting secure transactions between buyers and sellers from all around the world using different currencies to purchase thousands of unique products," said Colin Webster, President of Edeal Service Corp. "IBM Net.Commerce was the best solution for enabling edeal.com to handle active, high-volume bidding wars, as well as provide all parties involved with sufficient customer service options to track bids and purchases. It also gives the buyers the ability to rate sellers to help build...

20/3,K/19 (Item 1 from file: 636)

DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)

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03680283 Supplier Number: 47936159 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

CONSENSUS REMAINS HARD TO FIND ON C-BLOCK RESTRUCTURING EVEN AS PRESSURE MOUNTS TO RESOLVE ISSUE

PCS Week, v8, n35, pN/A

August 27, 1997

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newsletter; Trade

Word Count: 1365

... originally wanted before rising C-block prices changed everybody's plans. Sources say there are several companies with the money to bid and an axe to grind against bidders that forced them to rein in their visions during the original auction. By comparison the original bidder must be in a weak position or, presumably,

20/3,K/20 (Item 2 from file: 636)

DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)

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03132755 Supplier Number: 46411386 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

HIGH PCS LICENSE PRICES HAVE LED TO MANY QUESTIONS

Washington Telecom News, v4, n21, pN/A

May 27, 1996

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

Word Count: 1551

... winning as large of a wireless footprint in its state as it could.

During the auction, the alliance of 11 rural independent telcos and a centralized equal access company bid on 14 basic trading areas (BTAs) within Iowa. Yet when the auction was over, the partnership walked away empty-handed. To the north, the Western Minnesota PCS Partnership had

similar dreams. The group of rural telephone companies refrained from a bidding war in several BTAs to save money for the market it considered the creme de la creme--the St. Cloud, Minn., BTA. In the auction's later stages, one of the top bidders stormed in and launched a bidding battle for the BTA. The partnership held on for as long as it could, but...

20/3,K/21 (Item 3 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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03130132 Supplier Number: 46404457 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
HIGH LICENSE PRICES HAVE LED TO MANY QUESTIONS
Communications Today, pN/A
May 22, 1996
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1556

... winning as large of a wireless footprint in its state as it could.
During the auction, the alliance of 11 rural independent telcos and a centralized equal access company bid on 14 basic trading areas (BTAs) within Iowa. Yet when the auction was over, the partnership walked away empty-handed. To the north, the Western Minnesota PCS Partnership had similar dreams. The group of rural telephone companies refrained from a bidding war in several BTAs to save money for the market it considered the creme de la creme--the St. Cloud, Minn., BTA. In the auction's later stages, one of the top bidders stormed in and launched a bidding battle for the BTA. The partnership held on for as long as it could, but...

20/3,K/22 (Item 4 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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03122934 Supplier Number: 46387628 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
C-BLOCK AUCTION FINALLY ENDS, BRINGING NEW MAJOR PLAYERS INTO THE MARKET
Advanced Intelligent Network News, v6, n10, pN/A
May 15, 1996
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Trade
Word Count: 542

The FCC was ecstatic about the auction's unprecedented bid totals, and the major license winners were satisfied with the outcome, although many expected to get much more for the money they spent. Several entrants were priced out of the auction as bids climbed higher, however, and though their complaints are being dismissed as "sour grapes" by some, there are plans to challenge the auction before the FCC and in the courts.

New Kids on the C-Block
Barring successful...

20/3,K/23 (Item 5 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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02902578 Supplier Number: 45902234 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Dole, Gingrich Look To Open Budget Talks With Clinton
CongressDaily/A.M., pN/A
Nov 1, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 1192

... to provide background for today's White House meeting. Among other consequences, Rubin said prospective **bidders** on a Nov. 6 Treasury bond **auction** will be warned this morning that the **auction** have to be delayed or canceled, an action which he wrote will prevent some **trading** and raise the costs of borrowing **money**.

Several top congressional Republicans in recent days have said a short-term debt limit extension through...

20/3,K/24 (Item 6 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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02788041 Supplier Number: 45656596 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
MESSAGE TO DESIGNATED ENTITIES--PLAN THE ATTACK, THEN ATTACK THE PLAN
Communications Today, pN/A
July 7, 1995
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade
Word Count: 635

... honed their sales pitches to the one advantage that sets them apart from other potential **bidders** in the C-block **auction**: incentives that were awarded to them by the commission on June 25, 1994. They left...

...those promises. But they quickly learned that the incentives were not enough. Raising money for **bidding** on PCS spectrum is no **different** than raising **money** for any other startup endeavor. It is first and foremost a sales process.

Investors More...

20/3,K/25 (Item 7 from file: 636)
DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)
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02568143 Supplier Number: 45185218 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
ANALYSTS PREDICT BILLIONS FOR PCS LICENSES, BILLIONS TO BUILD NETWORK
Common Carrier Week, v11, n48, pN/A
Dec 5, 1994
Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
Document Type: Newsletter; Professional Trade
Word Count: 572

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
TEXT:
...could absorb \$5.6 billion in debt to pay for PCS licenses in Dec. 5 **auction**, and building network could cost as much if not more than initial payment, Standard & Poor...

...unit with newly acquired McCaw and PrimeCo consortium of 4 RHCs as strongest players in **auction**. S&P and Ledahl agreed successful **bidders** won't see positive **cash** flow for **several** years, perhaps 7 years in cases where new technology is required.

20/3,K/26 (Item 1 from file: 484)
DIALOG(R)File 484:Periodical Abs Plustext
(c) 2001 ProQuest. All rts. reserv.

01573976 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Who cares about rates?

Taub, Stephen

Financial World (TWO), v162 n13, p10, p.1

Jun 22, 1993

ISSN: 0015-2064 JOURNAL CODE: TWO

DOCUMENT TYPE: Commentary

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 836

LENGTH: Medium (10-30 col inches)

TEXT:

... 40 last year, there were no sales. That's when there was a lot of **selling** at other companies." ... Scandal-ridden Italy is attracting global investors as the country desperately tries...

...way to play it: Buy the closed-end Italy Fund. But be careful: It's **trading** at 10-3/4 for a 9% premium to the net asset value, and is...

...skeptical that the cellular company would fetch more than \$100 per share when it is **auctioned** to the highest **bidder** in early 1995, Bauer has now hiked his **cash** flow **multiple** from 11 to 13. Presto! He says he could see a deal for at least...

20/3,K/27 (Item 1 from file: 813)

DIALOG(R)File 813:PR Newswire

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Colorado Software Association and Metzger Associates Team Up on Advertising Auction

DATE: August 27, 1998

13:18 EDT

WORD COUNT: 502

... able to gain exposure at this level or for those who already advertise to save **money** ."

Several publications such as InformationWeek, PC Magazine, PC Week, Red Herring, Upside Magazine, Beyond Computing, Network...

... Software Magazine, Software Developer & Publisher, Windows Pro and ComputorEdge have already donated space to the **auction** . **Bidding** for this space will start at 35% of the ad's retail value with subsequent **bids** rising in increments of 5% of the original value. Companies will be able to call in **bids** to the CSA Executive Director Richard Custard at 303-713-9560 or fax in **bids** to 303-713-1356. **Auction** results will be announced at the CSA **auction** dinner on October 20, 1998.

All Coloradans will be eligible for the technical scholarships created

...

20/3,K/28 (Item 1 from file: 16)

DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)

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06555276 Supplier Number: 55410254 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Global trends force gold price down to record low.

Vietnam Investment Review, p15

July 26, 1999

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

Word Count: 374

... shocks in the international marketplace," a Ministry of Trade official told Vietnam Investment Review.

"Global gold prices are declining."

Several market analysts said that gold prices fluctuated violently over a period of 10 days after an auction of 25 tonnes of gold by the Central Bank of England, one of the world's largest holders of the precious metal. Immediately after the bidding closed, global gold prices plummeted to rest at \$256 per ounce in London and \$256...

20/3,K/29 (Item 2 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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04722200 Supplier Number: 46952337
UK Oil & Gas: North Sea Asset Sale - Industry Report
Investext, p1-8
Dec 6, 1996
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

ABSTRACT:

SBC WARBURG report by Arnott, R., et alx0D Saga Petroleum has won the auction for Santa Fe Exploration, the North Sea assets of the Kuwait Petroleum Corporation with a bid of \$1.23 billion ((L)745 million). The final bid represented a 54% premium over the industry consensus valuation of \$800 million a 26% premium...

...may be one factor why many companies, including Enterprise and LASMO, decided either not to bid or bid at a level well short of the price.x0D
Tables in report: Asset Value Of Santa Fe UK 1996-97; Cash Flow
Multiples At Various Purchase Prices 1997-2000; Premium/(Discount) To
Asset Values 1996x0D The INVESTEXT database...

20/3,K/30 (Item 3 from file: 16)
DIALOG(R)File 16:Gale Group PROMT(R)
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01713961 Supplier Number: 42139254
Microwave's auction brings in thousands
Cincinnati Enquirer (OH), pB11
June 8, 1991
Language: English Record Type: Abstract
Document Type: Newspaper; Trade

ABSTRACT:

Cincinnati Microwave had a public auction to sell surplus equipment as part of its continuing restructuring. The auction attracted 1,500 bidders from across the US to Microwave's headquarters in Symmes Township. Microwave has shut down several money-losing businesses to concentrate on radar detectors, its Guardian home incarceration system and assembling electronic parts for other companies. The Microwave auction was handled by Roos Dove, chrnm of Ross-Dove. The auction offered 760 lots. Each lot could consist of a single item or boxes of thousands...

20/3,K/31 (Item 1 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
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08884313 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 18445136

High PCS license prices have led to many questions. (personal communications services)

Monaco, Monta

Washington Telecom News, v4, n21, p5(2)

May 27, 1996

LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext

WORD COUNT: 1502 LINE COUNT: 00114

... Minnesota PCS Partnership had similar dreams. The group of rural telephone companies refrained from a **bidding** war in **several** BTAs to save **money** for the market it considered the creme de la creme - the St. Cloud, Minn., BTA. In the **auction**'s later stages, one of the top **bidders** stormed in and launched a **bidding** battle for the BTA. The partnership held on for as long as it could, but...

20/3,K/32 (Item 2 from file: 148)

DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB

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08037544 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 17098613 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

Historic rubies from the French Crown Jewels.

Hammid, Mary

Jewelers Circular Keystone, v166, n7, p130(8)

July, 1995

ISSN: 0194-2905 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 2242 LINE COUNT: 00172

... collection was sold, the histories of the numerous jewels became cloudy, if not lost.

Today, **several** of the **jewels** are displayed at the Louvre museum in Paris. However, the vast majority are in private collections, occasionally resurfacing at **auctions**. In December 1980, Christie's New York offered an antique ruby and diamond necklace and...there is no absolute record, it must be left as an open possibility. (At the **auction**, **bidding** did not reach the confidential minimum of \$58,000-\$62,000 so the pieces were...

20/3,K/33 (Item 3 from file: 148)

DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB

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05479324 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 11372066 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)

City real estate auctions build crowds and revenue. (Indianapolis

Department of Public Works surplus-property auctions)

Parent, Tawn

Indianapolis Business Journal, v12, n22, p9(1)

Sept 9, 1991

ISSN: 0274-4929 LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT

WORD COUNT: 964 LINE COUNT: 00073

... conduct a title search on their own, she said.

Unlike tax sales, in which winning **bidders** must wait a year to claim ownership of their property, deeds to properties sold through DPW **auctions** are mailed out within two to three months, Moore said. All purchases are made in cash, cashier's checks, certified checks or **money** orders.

Strakis and **several** employees collect the funds, handle the record-keeping and turn the proceeds (minus commission) over...

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01567539 02-18528
Time to kickstart reforms
Read, Tess
Euromoney n342 PP: 20-22 Oct 1997
ISSN: 0014-2433 JRNL CODE: ERM
WORD COUNT: 986

...TEXT: returning profits for their pains. Meanwhile interbank transactions are increasing. In 1994 an interbank foreign **exchange** market was established, replacing the **two currency auction** centres which had previously operated on alternate days in Hanoi and Ho Chi Minh City...

24/3,K/2 (Item 2 from file: 15)
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00711983 93-61204
Belgium
Anonymous
Euromoney World Equity Markets Supplement PP: 9-10 May 1993
ISSN: 0014-2433 JRNL CODE: ERM
WORD COUNT: 1396

...TEXT: market is accessible through Reuters pages MRBA to MRBF.

TRADING

Trading on the Brussels Stock **Exchange** takes place in two **different** markets, the " **cash** " or spot market and the "forward" CATS market. Prices on the cash market are set by **auction** and displayed on blackboards.

The market has three trading periods. The first, "rentes", is for...

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00267696 85-08129
ARPS Variations: Stable Financing, Investment Vehicles
Gage, Theodore Justin
Cash Flow v6n1 PP: 45-46 Jan/Feb 1985
ISSN: 0196-6227 JRNL CODE: CFL

...ABSTRACT: Now, however, Wall Street has come up with several variations on ARPS that include: 1. **convertible** adjustable preferred stocks (CAPS), 2. **money** -market preferred stocks (MMPS), 3. maturing adjustable-rate preferred (MARP), and 4. **short-term auction** rate stocks (STARS). Investors like these variations because they offer more protection, but the variations...

24/3,K/4 (Item 1 from file: 88)
DIALOG(R)File 88:Gale Group Business A.R.T.S.
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02465169 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 09615391
The impact of treasury auction announcements on interest rates.

Wachtel, Paul; Young, John

Quarterly Review of Economics and Business, v30, n3, p62(11)

Autumn, 1990

ISSN: 0033-5797

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 4160

LINE COUNT: 00348

... 3] [Delta]R3.

Our estimates of Equations (2) and (3) include one of the three **auction** announcement variables that corresponds to the maturity of the dependent variable. That is, a degree of market segmentation is assumed. For example, the cover from an **auction** of two-year notes is entered in the **equation** for the two-year yield. Thus, we assume here that other yields are unaffected by the **auction** of two-year notes.

A summary of the estimates of Equations (2) and (3) is...

24/3,K/5 (Item 1 from file: 810)

DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire

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0864060 BW1241

WACOAL: Wacoal Corp. of Kyoto, Japan Makes Announcement

June 10, 1998

Byline: Business Editors

...convenience only at the actual approximate exchange rate on March 31, 1998 of Y133.20 equals \$1.00.

2 . **Cash** dividends paid on preferred **auction** rate stock are deducted from Net Income for the computation of Earning per American Depositary...

24/3,K/6 (Item 2 from file: 810)

DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire

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0719608 BW1377

WACOAL: Wacoal reports financial results

July 01, 1997

Byline: Business Editors

...00. For fiscal 1996, the prevailing exchange rate on March 31, 1996 of 107 Yen equals \$1.00 was used.

2 . **Cash** dividends paid on preferred **auction** rate stock are deducted from Net Income for the computation of Earning per American Depositary...

24/3,K/7 (Item 3 from file: 810)

DIALOG(R)File 810:Business Wire

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0596587 BW1175

WACOAL: Wacoal Corp. of Japan reports year-end results

June 19, 1996

Byline: Business Editors

...00. For fiscal 1995, the prevailing exchange rate on March 31, 1995 of Y86.85 equals \$1.00 was used.

2 . Cash dividends paid on preferred auction rate stock are deducted from Net Income for the computation of Earning per American Depositary...

24/3,K/8 (Item 1 from file: 610)
DIALOG(R)File 610:Business Wire
(c) 2001 Business Wire. All rts. reserv.

00048817 19990521141B1221 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
Wacoal Corp. of Kyoto, Japan, the world's largest manufacturer of intimate apparel reported its year-end results for the fiscal year ended March 31, 1999
Business Wire
Friday, May 21, 1999 13:25 EDT
JOURNAL CODE: BW LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
DOCUMENT TYPE: NEWSWIRE
WORD COUNT: 628

...only at the
actual approximate exchange rate on March 31, 1999 of yen 118.43
equals \$1.00.

2 . Cash dividends paid on preferred auction rate stock are deducted from Net Income for the computation of Earnings per American Depositary...

24/3,K/9 (Item 1 from file: 75)
DIALOG(R)File 75:TGG Management Contents(R)
(c) 2001 The Gale Group. All rts. reserv.

00206114 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 20111287 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULL TEXT)
Short-run independence of monetary policy under pegged exchange rates and effects of money on exchange rates and interest rates.(Dynamic Effects of Monetary Policy)
Ohanian, Lee E.; Stockman, Alan C.
Journal of Money, Credit & Banking, v29, n4, p783(24)
Nov, 1997
ISSN: 0022-2879 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
WORD COUNT: 11657 LINE COUNT: 01057

... are goods with prices that change often, such as relatively homogeneous goods sold on near- auction markets, food, gasoline, automobiles (transaction prices), and computers. The two-sector model presented in this...

...The model can be used for positive analysis as well as welfare analysis of alternative exchange rate systems and of alternative monetary policies within each system. The model suggests new channels through which monetary policy is transmitted...

24/3,K/10 (Item 1 from file: 621)
DIALOG(R)File 621:Gale Group New Prod.Annou.(R)
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01362278 Supplier Number: 46253546 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)
DALLAS GOLD AND SILVER EXCHANGE, INC. ANNOUNCES SUBSTANTIAL EXPANSION OF

INTERNET ACTIVITIES WITH LAUNCH OF PRECIOUS METALS SUBSCRIPTION SERVICE

News Release, pN/A

March 27, 1996

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Magazine/Journal; Trade

Word Count: 302

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...at <http://dgse.com>. DGSE's presence on the Internet now includes a free live auction market in diamonds, fine watches and other jewelry items and its new service that allows...

...impressive response received for its COMPUTER JEWELRY EXCHANGE . Since the commencement of the live interactive auction market over 50,000 visitors have logged onto the site and independent public bids have...

...loan operations continue to explore opportunities to expand its presence on the Internet and in alternative distribution channels. Dallas Gold & Silver Exchange , Inc. and the Computer Jewelry Exchange can be reached by e-mail at jewelry@cyberramp...

24/3,K/11 (Item 1 from file: 636)

DIALOG(R)File 636:Gale Group Newsletter DB(TM)

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01948917 Supplier Number: 43446382 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

American Resource Corp. NA

Energy Alert, v12, n29, pN/A

Nov 11, 1992

Language: English Record Type: Fulltext

Document Type: Newsletter; Trade

Word Count: 149

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

...NL. The interests were acquired for \$200,000 at closing and \$1.9mm payable in two convertible promissory notes . In addition to certain gold interests, Red Rock holds interests in certain oil and gas...

...gold properties and all the oil and gas properties. The assets are expected to be auction to the highest bidder. Red Rock is indebted to Walhalla and Lennard Oil in an...

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03847395 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULLTEXT)

Short-run independence of monetary policy under pegged exchange rates and effects of money on exchange rates and interest rates

Ohanian, Lee E; Stockman, Alan C

Journal of Money, Credit & Banking (JMB), v29 n4 (Part 2), p783-806, p.24

Nov 1997

ISSN: 0022-2879 JOURNAL CODE: JMB

DOCUMENT TYPE: Feature

LANGUAGE: English

RECORD TYPE: Fulltext; Abstract

WORD COUNT: 8557

TEXT:

... are goods with prices that change often, such as relatively

homogeneous goods sold on near- auction markets, food, gasoline, automobiles (transaction prices), and computers. The two-sector model presented in this...

...The model can be used for positive analysis as well as welfare analysis of alternative exchange rate systems and of alternative monetary policies within each system. The model suggests new channels through which monetary policy is transmitted...

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0376864 NY017
REXENE CORPORATION ANNOUNCES FILING OF REGISTRATION STATEMENT FOR OFFER TO
EXCHANGE AND PURCHASE \$403 MILLION OF NOTES

DATE: June 7, 1991 10:46 EST WORD COUNT: 660

...inventory and fixed assets.

Concurrent with the exchange offer, the company will make a dutch auction tender offer to purchase senior subordinated IRNs at prices between \$250 and \$400 per \$1...

...which tenders are received.
All tendered senior subordinated IRNs not purchased for cash will be exchanged for the new short term second priority notes .

Consummation of the exchange offer and the dutch auction tender offer is conditional upon a majority in principal amount of each class of IRNs...

24/3,K/14 (Item 2 from file: 813)
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0196691 NY049
AMEX COMMODITIES FILES APPLICATION TO TRADE FUTURES ON TWO-YEAR U.S.
TREASURY NOTES BASED ON YIELD

DATE: August 28, 1989 11:34 E.T. WORD COUNT: 525

...ACC. All support functions for ACC are provided by the staff of the American Stock Exchange .

Notes Issued Monthly

Two -year Treasury notes are auctioned and issued monthly. By providing delivery in the most recently auctioned two-year note, the buyer will receive the most actively traded issue at that time...

24/3,K/15 (Item 1 from file: 148)
DIALOG(R)File 148:Gale Group Trade & Industry DB
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05163167 SUPPLIER NUMBER: 10805136 (USE FORMAT 7 OR 9 FOR FULL TEXT)
REXENE CORP. FILES REGISTRATION FOR OFFER TO EXCHANGE, PURCHASE OF NOTES
PR Newswire, 0607P4902
June 7, 1991

Search Report from Ginger D. Roberts

LANGUAGE: ENGLISH RECORD TYPE: FULLTEXT
WORD COUNT: 641 LINE COUNT: 00050

... inventory and fixed assets.

Concurrent with the exchange offer, the company will make a dutch auction tender offer to purchase senior subordinated IRNs at prices between \$250 and \$400 per \$1...

...which tenders are received. All tendered senior subordinated IRNs not purchased for cash will be exchanged for the new short term second priority notes.

Consummation of the exchange offer and the dutch auction tender offer is conditional upon a majority in principal amount of each class of IRNs...

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03774310 H.W. WILSON RECORD NUMBER: BWBA98024310 (USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

Short-run independence of monetary policy under pegged exchange rates and effects of money on exchange rates and interest rates.

Stockman, Alan C

Ohanian, Lee E

Journal of Money, Credit and Banking (J Money Credit Bank) v. 29 pt2 (Nov. '97) p. 783-806

LANGUAGE: English

WORD COUNT: 11291

(USE FORMAT 7 FOR FULLTEXT)

TEXT:

... are goods with prices that change often, such as relatively homogeneous goods sold on near- auction markets, food, gasoline, automobiles (transaction prices), and computers. The two-sector model presented in this...

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End of the Spanish nuclear moratorium debt in sight
(Iberdrola and Sevillana de Electricidad presented a debt-clearance plan to convert debt into marketable bonds)
 Power in Europe, n 216, p 22
 January 26, 1996
 DOCUMENT TYPE: Newsletter ISSN: 0955-6079 (United Kingdom)
 LANGUAGE: English RECORD TYPE: Fulltext
 WORD COUNT: 475

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TEXT:
 ...time limits.

* The issuing of bonds and the securing of loans will be made through auction . The maximum interest rate will be the Madrid Interbank Offered Rate (MIBOR) plus 0.3 points .

Insiders compared the conversion of the debt into bonds and loans with the state issuing securities to finance its...

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Civil Lawsuits.
 Arizona Business Gazette, v120, n37, p6
 Sept 14, 2000
 Language: English Record Type: Fulltext
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 Word Count: 1772

... Attorney for plaintiff: Hyung S. Choi

Case number: CV00-15657
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 Defendant: **Pocketpass** .com Inc.
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 Attorney for plaintiff: Ronald J.
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Article Author(s): Reinert, Tod F
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...on a forward contract is implicitly zero, the actual gain or loss is driven by **currency** return variance. I estimate **cash** flow costs as the product of monthly **currency** price median deviation and average **cash conversion** cost. These costs amounted to 1 basis point of the international portfolio for each month a contract is settled.(5)
Direct contract costs are transaction costs associated with **selling currency** forward. These are estimated to amount to half of the **bid** -ask spread on one-month forward contracts, or 3.5 basis **points** of the international portfolio for each month a contract is settled.(6)

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Bensman, Miriam
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...TEXT: of triple-A convertible bonds issued by a foreign corporation and denominated in a foreign **currency**. It then sold a call on the underlying common to strip out the call embedded in the bond and entered into a cross-**currency** swap to **convert** the coupon into a U.S. LIBOR floater. The premium from **selling** the call added to the floater's return, giving Intel 45 to 50 basis **points** over U.S. LIBOR, Lee reports.

The **convert** wasn't Intel's first venture into foreign securities. Although the company doesn't take on unhedged **currency** risk--"that's not our business," Lee says--it will buy foreign securities that, with a hedge, **offer** it better returns than U.S. Treasuries. Such opportunities are few, since the cost of...

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Abstract: The expected profit of a supplier of goods (contractor) is analyzed for the general situation where remuneration is a function of the quality of the goods and this quality cannot be precisely controlled. It is assumed that the supplier can choose the mean value, and possibly the coefficient of variation, of the random quality and it is shown how he can choose the values of these parameters in order to maximize his own profit. The minimum price at which he could bid the job without expecting to lose money is also considered. Several pricing policies are considered, including the conventional policy of a constant price for all units accepted. For each policy graphical results are presented which allow simple computation of the optimum values of production parameters and of the minimum bid price. An example illustrates application of some of the results to a situation where the product is cast-in-place concrete. 4 refs.

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